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### LIST OF TAXABLES IN BALTIMORE COUNTY ANNO 1699.

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SPES UTIJ HUNDRED	
Capt. John Hall	Edward Cantwell
Mr. Henry Fielding	Edward Weelldy
Joshua Fowler	Tho: Fellps
John Garell	and one Slave
John Stanton	Mr. James Phillips
Stansby Gabion	Ralph Eves
Two Slaves	Thomas Williams
Att Spes Utis Creek	John Robertson
Daniel Johnson	John Jinkings
John Trafie	and three Slaves
Daniel Mockarly	Henry Jackson
George Smith Seiniar	Robt. Jackson
George Smith Junior	Deniss Kineard
and his Freeman	William Loney
Joshawa Wood	James Osborne Juiniar
One Slave	Evan Miles
Samuel Browne	Tho: Temple
	William Prichett

Peter Boney	Francis Smith
William Hollis	John Elliss
John Hall Juinior	One Slave
Mr. Mark Richardson	Robert Drisdall
One Servant man	Thomas Sprible
John Combest	Thomas Cable
Edward Painter	James Ives
One Slave	Tho: Jackson
Mr. Anthony Drew	One Man Servant
John Elliss	John Kimpble, Sieniour
Six Slaves	John Kimpble, Juiniour
John Parker Sieniour	Two Men Servants
John Parker Juiniour	John Sheelds
Clem Parker	One Man Servant
One Border	At Ye Widdow Boothbys
Mr. Roger Mathes	George Morgan
Henry Hedge	Henry Smith
Mr. Robert Gibson	One Slave
Denniss Mackarty	Emanuel Ceeley
foure Slaves	John Cooke
William White	Miles Harriss
James Fugate	Peter Leasher
Martin Depost	Henry Borne
Thomas Newsum	Ralph Gillum
Owen Swillivant	Thomas Bucknall
Mr. Benjamin Wells	William Jephf
Edward More	Richard Simpson
Philip Branockgun	Thomas Gillbord Sen
Three Slaves	Thomas Gillbord Jun.
Mrs. Wells Two Slaves	Thomas Browne
Samuel Jackson	Two Servants
James Coseley	Garrett Garrettson
Thomas Bevins	One Servant
Thomas Moress	John Gould
John Jackson	One Servant
Joseph Jackson	William Loftan

Richard Perkins	At Eliza: Ebdens
Thomas Chapman	Charles Symmons
Emanuel Smith	Robert Couching
William York	Richard Smithers
John Coterell	Tho: Burchell
Two Servants	Nicholas Harbert
At the Widdow Arnolds	John Rawlings
John Savory	Archabell Rawlow
John English	Samuel Standefer
One Servant	John Standefer
One Slave	James Gallion
John Miles, Sen:	John Gallion
Humphrey Jones	Charles Addams
Stephen Freestand	Tho: Hawlings
Nicholas Waterman	Corneilious Boice
John Miles, Jun	Richard Tylard
Charles Ramsey	William Robinson
Thomas Coard	John Debrula
Thomas Greenfield	Tho: Banks
Lawrence Taylor	George York
Sum Total 141	Abraham Taylor
Charles Ramsey, Constable.	John Armstrong
	Mark Swift
NORTH SIDE OF GUNPOWDER	James Denniss
HUNDRED.	John Evings
Mr. Thomas Staly	Josias White
Henry Wriothsley	William Bruton
Oliver York	One Slave
Enock Spinks	William Hill
Ja: Redhurst	Robert Waters
James Durham	John Boone
Charles Jones	John Durham
Henry Mathas	Samuel Durham
Martin Taylor	Daniel Doney
Abraham Delap	Mr. James Maxwell
One Slave	Jareamiah Hacks

William Noble	Richard Isaac
Charles Underwood	Mr. Moses Groome Jun.
Turla Kelley	John Mackensey
Thomas Sheard	John Sly
John Wattson	John Love
William Deason	Robert West
Lewis Nowell	John Fuller, Sen <sup>r</sup> .
Two Slaves	John Fuller, Jun <sup>r</sup> .
William Lynnox	William Pickett
Richard Lynnox	Michael Judd
Jareamiah Downes	At. Deb. Benjer
James Cordrey	James Methuen
At Rosamund Pruits	Benjamin Johnson
Charles Swaine	John Taylor
Robert Owliss	Nicholas Day
Symon Pearson	Obediah Prichet
John Wright	Philip Hungerdale
John Finch	John Webster
Isaral Skeltons	Thomas Thirston
William Robinson	John Elberton
William Heicks	William Howard
Robert Shaw	Aquila Paca
Charles Hewit	William Braysier
Mr. Sam <sup>l</sup> Sicklemore	John Whittieur
Thomas Couching	Edward Braynan
Richard Thrifft	Robert Love
Benjamin Buck	Daniel Scott, Junr.
Mr. Stephen Johnson	John Couching
Peter Norton	Thomas Noriss
Mitchell Dawlingson	John Elles
Three Slaves	Cornelious Harrington
Mr. Thomas Preston, Sr.	Sum Total is 112
Tho: Preston, Jun.	Cornelious Harrington,
John Hopkins	Constable.
At Dorithy Grooms	

## MIDDLE RIVER HUNDRED.

Mr. Edward Felks  
 Lawrence Nolding  
 Isaac Denton  
 Tho. Philipson  
 Edward Jones  
 William Enock  
 Robert Smith  
 John Anderson  
 Benj<sup>a</sup>. Lego  
 Richard Foulter  
 William Denton  
 George Grover  
 Edward Ellett  
 Fran: Dolahide  
 John Hack  
 George Goodwind  
 Giles Stephens  
 Oliver Harrett  
 John Enloes  
 William Wright  
 Abraham Enloes  
 Benjamin Bennett  
 Danill Scott, Sen.  
 John Pare  
 Jarvis Gilbard  
 Tho: How  
 John Chadwell  
 Fran. Whited  
 Wilks Chirn  
 Richard Olver  
 James Orell  
 John Williams  
 Luke Raven  
 Daniel Garquen  
 George Backer

Michael Ruthledge  
 George Hall  
 Walter Murro  
 Tho: Litton  
 Laruence Richardson  
 John Sears  
 John Rouse  
 Tho: Richardson  
 John Richardson  
 Charles Smith  
 James Duncoord  
 John Leget  
 Walter Bosley  
 Benjamin Smith  
 Paul Bullus

The Total Sume is 53

Walter Bosley, Constable.

NORTH SIDE OF PATAPSCO  
HUNDRED.

Mr. James Todd  
 John Harriman  
 Philip Grigs  
 Three Slaves  
 Richard Jefferys  
 Henry Cosdon  
 Hanah, a slave  
 John Shaw  
 Edward Serdan  
 Morgan Wanson  
 Three Slaves  
 Robert Johnson  
 Miles Teple  
 John Rouse  
 Jonas Bowen  
 Henry Sheelds

Edward Medben	Robert Lince
James Smith	John Cook
John Garnor	Danell Bembrig
Samuel Stevens	Alexander Lumly
Nicholas Fitzsimons	Jos'ha Howard
William Fenton	Daniel Rushey
William Hall	John Mackarty
Steven Wells	John Thomas
Two Slaves	James Herrington
Att the Widow Bowen	Thomas Copias
Benjamin Bowen	Robert Green
Arthur Carnock	Thomas Stone
Laurence Woulden	Samuell Guine
Nicholas More	John Guine
John Burgin	John Broad
Edward Rutledge	Robert Stogdell
Thomas Smith	Isacc Jackson
John Waters	John Scutt
Williams Finns	Denis Crouley
Henry Jones	Hictor Maxkchuen
Paule Jervis	David Coutt
John Bayes	John Cannon
William Pervill	William Joseule
Thomas Cact	One Slave
Robert Carvill	Natha: Stenchcom
Robert Taylor	John Bodis
Edward Stivenson	Cristifer Garner
Jolep Pericoy	I. Edward Wille
John Landish	Patrick Murfey
Tobius Stanborough	Robert Parker, Sen.
Joseph Lobb	Robert Parker, Juni.
Thomas Dade	Martha Hawkings
John Ellidg	Will: Daunon
William Willkeson	Johnathan Musay
William Wollison	Will: Lovdige
One: Man Servant	Will: Martain
One Slave	Thomas Beetony

Bray Peettle	William Love
And Two Slaves	John Cole
John Leacock	David Rust
Mr. Larence Yausten	Huges Jones
Samuel Greeneff	John Cumpus
Joseph Phillips	Charles Gorsuch
Thomas Wheeler	Nathaniel Ruxton
Richard Sampson, Sen.	Michal Young
Richard Sampson, Jun.	And Two Slaves
John Goffa	John Barrett
Will Barker	Thomas Tomal
James Isesom	Nathaniel Corbin
Robert Sipes	Joseph Goswich
Richard Hurton	John Gony
Tho: Hammon	Josias Briges
Tho: Williams	Thomas Weeks
Three Slaves	Michall Gorman
Jobe Evings	Coll John Thomas
Samuel Holyday	Two Slaves
Three Slaves	John Willmott
Samuel Willing	One Slave
Turla Michael Howen	Charles Merryman
Edward Dun	Darby Watterman
John Carrington	William Goaine
Jacob Hoocker	John Hilling
George Hollingsworth	John Boreing
John Hollingsworth	William Demett
Nicholas Haile	Philip Wastinton
Moses Edwards	John Gibins
Richard Miller	John Merryman
Richard Ammon	John Leser
Charles Smith	George Hurnton
Edward Coffenten	Richard Lisey
Newlus Coten	William Story
John Ensur	John Fran Holland
Thomas Hedge	John Egdston

Henry Basay  
 One Slave  
 John Coner  
 He(n)ry Bell  
 Joseph Wells  
 Richard Watkis  
 Isacc Samson  
 John Thornbough  
 Jacob Ponnitt  
 Joseph Peach  
 Charles Merryman, Jr.  
 Thomas Long  
 John Gouge  
 One Slave  
 John Haies  
 James Crook  
 Thomas Bidison  
 John Dauley  
 Larence Andrews  
 One Slave  
 One Slave  
 Henry King  
 Daniell Swindell  
 Selah Dormon  
 George Hopum  
 William Farfor  
 Thomas Hancock  
 Lance Burton  
 Robert Garnor  
 Alaxander Garnor  
 John Robertson  
 Steven Bentley  
 Cristifer Shaw  
 John Leakings  
 Cristifer Bembridge  
 Andrew Anderson

Richard Louland  
 Andrew Hurd  
 Anthony Demdider  
 Sum totall 212  
 Anthony Demdider,  
 Counstable.

ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF  
 PATAPSCO HUNDRED.

Mr. Robart Boston  
 Three Slaves  
 Henry Leviss  
 Att Ann: Weelocks  
 Henry Waters  
 Tho: Arpe  
 John Reed  
 Edward Smith  
 Benjamin Smith  
 Henry Jones  
 William Wood  
 William Foreman  
 Sam<sup>l</sup> Griffin  
 Martha Bryan  
 Danil Winkford  
 John Davis  
 William Slade  
 Josiah Harison  
 Edward Tille  
 Francis Sing Sing  
 Henry Hale  
 Thomas Cox  
 Luke Reed  
 Ralph Barron  
 Abraham Parker  
 Jacob Cobb  
 One Slave

Thomas Crooker	Mr. William Britton
William Reader	Robert Hopan
Three Slaves	Thomas Martin
Joseph Toulson	James Morrey
David Elder	Nathanil Brothers
Tho: Bond	Tho: Crumwell
William Mackerty	Symon Thomson
Humphrey Tudor	Christopher Curdue
John Lockett	Two Slaves
Petter Bond	Thomass Hoocker
Tho: Morgan	John Briane
William Felps	Charles Cronel
William Talpe	George Thope
Charles Bayker	John Martin
Peter Bond	Humphrey Lobe
William Coke	Anthony Johnson
Francis Hall	One Servant
Daneil Keney	William Davis
William Rion	George Mann
William Crumell	George Bayley
Joseps Cumfern	At Elinor Harbords
Lorer Bryan	One Tidable
Cristipher Ranbell	Daniell Candell
John Gardiner	At John Dorseys
Two Slaves	Five Slaves
Richard Crumell	Richard Shiple
Cristifer Durbin	Three Tiddables
William Brower	Richard Keartlen
Two S(laves)	John Deburd
Richard Underwood	Mr. Edward Dorsey
Jonas Williams	Timothy Connell
Henry Wiott	Six Servants
George Ashman	Twelve Slaves
Att his house	Tho: Kingsmith
John Christan	Christepher Cox
Tho: Evens	William Sough
Foure Slaves	Steven Wright

William Hawkins  
 Archable Camell  
 William Hawkins

The Lists in Genarele for  
 the year 1699 contains the full  
 sume of 647 Taxables.

Total Sum is 131

William Hawkins, Constable.

**JOURNAL OF THE COMMITTEE OF OBSERVATION OF  
 THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FREDERICK  
 COUNTY, MARYLAND.**

September 12, 1775—October 24, 1776.

(Continued from Vol. XI, p. 321.)

July 16, 1776. The Committee met.

Present; Upton Sheredine Esq<sup>r</sup> in the Chair, Messrs. William Luckett, Jun<sup>r</sup>, Charles Beatty, B. Johnson, John Adlum, Conrad Grosh, John Haas, Adam Fisher, Philip Thomas, George Murdoch, Joseph Wood, Jun<sup>r</sup>, William Beatty, Michael Raymer, Christopher Edelen.

A Letter was received from the Council of Safety requesting an immediate return of all the Inhabitants in this District together with the Distinctions of Age, Sex, and Colour.

Ordered that the several Constables in this District be appointed to ascertain the number of Inhabitants in this District and make a Return to this Committee as soon as may be—for which Service a reasonable Compensation will be allowed, and that the Constables be furnished with this Resolve.

Jacob Neat's fine reduced to £4.

Ordered that Messrs. French and Tesstill appear.

Messrs. French and Testill appeared and were discharged from any further Appearance before this Comm<sup>ee</sup>.

Ordered y<sup>t</sup> their obligation as to their good Behaviour stand in force.

Resolved that Mr Abraham Haaf be appointed Collector of the fines in Linganore Hundred in the place of Mr. Nathan Maynard who hath declined executing that Office.

In Consequence of a Resolve of the last Convention the Committee think proper to decline taking Bonds with Security from the several Non-associators who were required to attend here this day for the purpose of giving Security agreeably to the Resolve of the December Convention.

A Copy of a Letter from the Congress to the Convention earnestly soliciting an instant Execution of the Influence of this and every other Committee towards equipping the Militia for the flying Camp was read, whereupon it was unanimously resolved that this Committee will and that every Militia Cap<sup>t</sup> and other Member of this District ought to exert himself for the immediate Supplying the Troops for the Flying Camp with every Necessary for their March.

Resolved that a Quantity of Salt in the Possession of Mr. Miller be delivered to Mr. Christopher Edelen and be by him sold in Quantities not exceeding  $1/2$  a Bushell nor less than a peck at the rate of  $12/6$  per Bushell and that after the Deduction of  $6^d$  per Bushell for selling, the proceeds be paid to the Owners, that the 25<sup>th</sup> Instant be the day when the Sale shall commence.

Ordered that the two next precedent Resolves be advertised.  
The Committee adjourns to Wednesday 31 July.

The Committee met by Especial Order 23 July, 1776.

Present, Christopher Edelen Esq<sup>r</sup> in the Chair, A. Fisher, Conrad Grosh, Michael Raymer, George Murdoch, John Haas, John Adlum, and Philip Thomas.

A Letter from the Committee of the lower district together with Thomas Tonnerton who had been arrested on Suspicion of being a certain Moses Kirkland advertised in the Pennsylvania Packett of 8<sup>th</sup> May were received and the said Tonnerton's answering the Description given of the same Kirkland, and not being able fully to satisfy the Committee that he was not the

said Kirkland, it was Resolved that he be committed to the Tory Goal for farther Examination to-morrow morning.

The Committee met 24 July, 1776.

Present, Christopher Edelen Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, John Adlum, John Haass, Adam Fisher, Conrad Grosh, Michael Raymer, George Murdock, and Philip Thomas.

Thomas Tonnerton was brought before the Committee according to the Order of yesterday, and was re-examined. Doct<sup>r</sup> Houbl attended who was at the apprehending of Col<sup>l</sup> Kirkland and had seen him since, and being sworn deposed that he verily believed the prisoner was not the Kirkland advertised.

Thereupon Resolved that he be discharged without fees.

Ordered that Jacob Coventry a prisoner in the Tory Goal be discharged on giving Security for his fees.

The fees of Coventry's Imprisonment amount to 23/4. William Jenings became Security for the payment of said fees on 3<sup>d</sup> August next, whereupon Coventry was discharged.

Resolved, that Mr. Adam Grosh be recommended as third Lieutenant to Cap<sup>t</sup> Griffith's Company in the Rifle Battalion directed by the Congress to be raised.

Committee adjourns to 31<sup>st</sup> July.

July 26, 1776. Committee met by especial Order.

Present, John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Philip Thomas, John Adlum, Michael Raymer, Christopher Edelen, Conrad Grosh, Adam Fisher, John Haass and George Murdock.

A Letter was received from the Board of War at Philadelphia, inclosing a List of 15 Officers Prisoners, which they had ordered to this Place for safe Custody, under the care of Cap<sup>t</sup> Sterling, with Directions to the Committee that all those who should refuse to subscribe the Parol directed by Congress (a Copy whereof they enclosed us) should be closely confined. Whereupon the Parol was presented, when only y<sup>e</sup> three following signed it Cap<sup>t</sup> Godwin for himself and servant, Cap<sup>t</sup> Thompson and Surgeon Huddleston. Thereupon Resolved that as the Tory Goal is the only Place of Security in this Town,

that Major Joseph Stopford, Major Dunbar, Major Hughes, Capt<sup>ts</sup> Stewart, Allge, Campbell, Commissary McCullough, Lieut<sup>ts</sup> Harrison, Shuttleworth, Lessly, McDonald and Midshipman Symonds be immediately sent to the Tory Goal.

Resolved that the Guard there receive the Addition of a Sergeant and Six Men from Capt<sup>t</sup> Hardman's Company, that the latter receive Wages equal to ye former.

Ordered that the Chairman furnish the Midshipman with 15/ p. week for his support.

Ordered that Paroles signed be forthwith sent to the Board of War by Chairman.

Resolved that George Murdock, Conrad Grosh, Adam Fisher, John Haass and Philip Thomas be a Committee to enquire into the State of the Tory Goal.

Ordered that the Chairman write to the Council of Safety, respecting the Tory prisoners informing them that many of them had offered Security for their good Behaviour and for their remaining within any Limits that might be prescribed to them, and to enquire if those who bore Commissions were entitled to the Parol directed by Congress to be signed by all Officers.

Committee adjourns to 31 July, 1776.

July 31. The Committee met.

Present: John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. Adam Fisher, John Adlum, John Haass, Philip Thomas, Conrad Grosh, Michael Raymer, Wm. Beatty, Joseph Wood Jun<sup>r</sup>, Christ<sup>r</sup> Edelen & George Murdock.

Ordered that a List of those persons who were appointed Collectors of the fines in this District, together with a List of those who were fined for not enrolling be immediately transmitted to the Council of Safety.

Saturday 3 August 1776.

The Officers who were confined to the Tory Goal (12) signed the Parole ordered by Congress.

5 August 1776. The Committee met.

Present: John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. W. Luckett, C. Grosh, P. Thomas, John Adlum, C. Edelen, D. Shriver, B. Johnson, C. Beatty, Wm. Beatty & John Haass.

Ordered that 15<sup>lb</sup> Powder and 45<sup>lb</sup> Lead be delivered to each of the following Captains for the Use of their Companies,—Meroney, Hardman, Reynolds and Campbell, and that Mr. John Adlum deliver the same.

Committee adjourns till to Morrow.

August 6, 1776. The Committee met.

Present; John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. D. Schriver, W. Luckett, Conrad Grosh, J. Adlum, J. Haass & M. Raymer.

Ordered that a Precipe issue directed to James Wells to summon Nicholas Seiple, Peter Wetsill and Jacob Myers to appear before the Committee on the 20<sup>th</sup> Inst<sup>t</sup>, and that one issue directed to Adam Good to summon Michael McGuire and William Pebble to appear before the Committee on same day.

John Sliver's fine reduced to £4.

Peter Van Horn's remitted.

Ordered that Chairman write for Prisoners' Servants to Lancaster Committee.

Committee adjourns to 8<sup>th</sup> Instant.

August 8, 1776. The Committee met.

Present: John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. Conrad Grosh, William Beatty, Philip Thomas, John Adlum, Adam Fisher and George Murdoch.

Mr. Adam Grosh having declined the recommend<sup>n</sup> offered him the 24<sup>th</sup> July, it was resolved that the Chairman recommend Mr. Elijah Evans as third Lieut<sup>t</sup> to Cap<sup>t</sup> Griffiths' Company in the Rifle Battalion.

Ordered that a Guard consisting of a Captain, Sergeant and 12 men be employed on the following Terms,—Cap<sup>t</sup> 6/ p. day, Serg<sup>t</sup> 4/6, and each of the privates 3 p. day, that Messrs. Thomas and Adlum employ said Guard.

Ordered that 90 Flints be delivered Cap<sup>t</sup> Meroney for his Comp<sup>y</sup>.

Committee adjourns to Tuesday the 20<sup>th</sup> Inst.

August 13, 1776. The Committee met by especial Order.

Present, John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. Philip Thomas, Conrad Grosh, Michael Raymer, William Beatty, George Murdock, John Adlum.

Ordered that each of the Servants prisoners of War, belonging to the Officers in this Town, be allowed a Ration equal to that of the Troops in the Service of this Province, that half a Ration be allowed to each of the Women & Children belonging to said Servants. That the Ration shall be delivered to the Servants or the price thereof paid them at the Election of the Servants.

Ordered that the 21<sup>st</sup> Instant be appointed for publishing the Declaration of Independence.

Ordered that Doct<sup>r</sup> Thomas draw up Instructions for the Guard.

Ordered that Mr. Doll be empowered to purchase Material for enlarging the Guard Room at the Tory Goal.

Ordered that Messrs. Murdock & Thomas be appointed to distribute the public Powder here among the Inhabitants most convenient for the Reception of it.

That 15<sup>lb</sup> Powder and 45<sup>lb</sup> Lead be delivered to each of the Cap<sup>ts</sup> Speaker & Deakens for the Use of their Companies.

Committee adjourns to the 20<sup>th</sup> Instant.

August 20, 1776. The Committee met.

Present: John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. Philip Thomas, George Murdock, John Stoner, John Haass, Michael Raymer, Adam Fisher, William Beatty, William Luckett Jun<sup>r</sup>, Conrad Grosh.

Stephen Bower's fine reduced to £5.

Anthony Burnhart's fine reduced to £2.

Ordered that the Collectors of the fines in this District indulge those persons who were fined till the first day of Decem-

ber next for the payment of their Fines upon giving Security payable to the Chairman of the Convention.

William Pepple's Enrollment of a Militia Company consisting of a Cap<sup>t</sup>, 2 Lieutenants, Ensign, 4 Sergeants, 4 Corporals, 1 Drummer and 56 Privates returned this day.

Messrs. Seiple and Wetsill appeared according to summons and were discharged.

Peter Noffsinger's fine reduced to £5

Doct<sup>r</sup> Philip Thomas brought in the Instructions for the Guard, which were approved of.

Ordered that the Cap<sup>t</sup> be furnished with a Copy.

Martin Shoupe's fine reduced to £6.10.

John Kinsey's reduced to £3.10.

The Guard employed by Messrs. Adlum & Thomas was approved of.

Comm<sup>te</sup> adjourns till this day fortnight.

August 23, 1776. At a special meeting of the Committee Present: John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. William Beatty, William Blair, John Adlum, Joseph Wood, George Murdock and Philip Thomas.

The Reverend Mr. Booth appeared and informed the Committee that he had received great Injury in his property by having a considerable part of a valuable Peach Orchard torn down last Saturday Night by sundry persons against whom he has sufficient proof.

Resolved unanimously that it be recommended to Mr. Booth to apply to a civil Magistrate or the Court who it is not doubted will take order therein.

Resolved unanimously that this Committee will upon this as well as every other Occasion support the civil Power in the due Execution of the Law where such Assistance may be necessary.

Committee adjourns to 3<sup>d</sup> Sep<sup>t</sup> 1776.

Sept<sup>r</sup> 2, 1776. The Committee met by Especial Order.

Present; John Hanson Esquire in the Chair, Messrs. Baker Johnson, Charles Beatty, George Murdock, Conrad Grosh, Michael Raymer & Philip Thomas.

It being represented to this Committee that Mr. James Smith a Non-associator is very intimate with the officers in this Town, prisoners of War now on parol and that he is at this time associating with them, the Committee disapproving that Intimacy, Resolve that Mr. James Smith immediately leave the Town, and that he be served with a Copy of this Resolution.

The Committee adjourns to to-morrow morning.

Sept<sup>r</sup> 3. The Committee met.

Presnt: John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. Philip Thomas, George Murdock, Michael Raymer, John Adlum, John Stoner, William Lockett Jun<sup>r</sup>, William Beatty, Conrad Grosh, and Baker Johnson.

On application of James Ogle, Warrants ordered against Henry Grove for 20/ and ag<sup>t</sup> Peter Shultz for 4 which Sums they were fined by a Court Marshal of Cap<sup>t</sup> Ogle's Company. Warrants to be directed to John Cyphers.

On application of Cap<sup>t</sup> Snowdenberger, Warrants issued against Michael Unger for 3/, Michael Crowel 3/, George Heiter 3/, John Swedner 3/, Conrad Spoor 3/, Sebalt Bauther 3/, Adam Wolf 2/6, and Cornelius Harken 1/6, which sums they were fined by a Court Marshal of Cap<sup>t</sup> Snowdenberger's Company. Warrants directed to John Henry Daily.

Jacob Verrefeltz's fine reduced to £6.10.

Abraham Miller's fine reduced to £6.10.

Michael Wine's fine reduced to £5.10.

Jacob Miller's fine reduced to £5.10.

Jacob Florough Sen<sup>r</sup>'s fine reduced to £4.

Joseph Doll produces an Account of £3.2.6 for Materials purchased (by Order of the Committee) for building a Guard Room for the Use of the Guard.

Ordered that the same be paid by the Treasurer.

Ordered that the Tory prisoners be removed to the common Goal agreeably to the Resolve of the Convention.

Resolved that each Captain in this Town take an account of all the effective Arms in his Company, and number the same, and that he be furnished with 12 Rounds of Cartridges to fit

each Gun, and that he number the Cartridges to agree with the Guns which they fit.

Summons ordered for John Shellman and Alexander McDonald to appear before the Committee on the 11 Instant. Ordered that Nicholas Highsler serve the same Summons.

Whereas it appears that there is a very great Intimacy between several Non Associators and the prisoners of War now on parol in this Town, and as it is notorious that said Non Associators are inimical to America consequently their Intercourse with the prisoners may prove dangerous to the State,

Resolved Unanimously that no person or persons who have refused or neglected to sign the Association prescribed by the Convention of this or any other of the united States, where such person, or persons reside, be hereafter permitted to have any Connection or Intercourse directly or indirectly with the prisoners of War which now are or may hereafter be under the Care and Direction of this Committee without the permission of the same Committee.

The Committee adjourns to ye 11<sup>th</sup> Instant.

September 10, 1776. The Committee met.

Present: Conrad Grosh Esquire in the Chair, Messrs. Michael Raymer, William Beatty, John Adlum, George Murdock, Philip Thomas & John Haass.

Jacob Geiger was brought before the Committee on Suspicion of being unfriendly to the American Cause, and the Accusation, Evidence and Defence being heard and fully considered, it was resolved that he enter into Bond with Security in the Sum of £50 Currency for his good Behaviour in future. Ordered that the Clerk take said Bond this Evening.

Ordered that Messrs. John Adlum and George Murdock be appointed to enquire respecting sundry Gun Barrells, Locks and other things sold by John Campbell Lindsey to a certain \_\_\_\_\_, which this Committee apprehend belong to ye Province.

Committee adjourns till tomorrow morning.

Sept<sup>r</sup> 11. The Committee met according to Adjournment.

Present: Conrad Grosh Esquire in the Chair, Messrs. William Beatty, Joseph Wood Jun<sup>r</sup>, John Stoner, Philip Thomas, Michael Raymer, John Adlum and George Murdock.

Adam Smith's fine reduced to £5.10.

Enoch Frey's fine reduced to £4.

Resolved that Cap<sup>t</sup> William Duvall be appointed Collector of the fines in Linganore Hundred in the room of Mr. Abraham Haaff.

Ordered that Doct<sup>r</sup> Philip Thomas write to the Convention and inform them that there are several Deserters from Col<sup>l</sup>. Smallwood's Battalion now in this and the upper District, and also inform them that there are several sick Soldiers in this Town left by the Virginia Regiment.

Ordered that Messrs. Philip Thomas, George Murdock, John Adlum and William Blair be appointed to meet the field Officers of the several Battalions in this District in Frederick Town on Friday next, to recommend Officers to the Council of Safety for the Company of Volunteers to be raised in this District, and that they in Conjunction with the said Officers exert their Influence to expedite the Inlistment of said Men, and equipment of them with Arms and other Necessaries.

Ordered, that for enabling the above Gentlemen to carry into Execution the Recommendation of Convention relating to raising said Company, the money in the Hands of the Collectors of this District be immediately borrowed, to be replaced by the money which it is expected will be sent up by the Convention for that purpose.

Ordered, that the Thanks of this Committee be returned to the Clerk for his Services in that Character and that he be requested to take care of the proceedings and Papers belonging to them, and not to suffer them to be taken out of his Possession unless by an order in Writing from a Majority of the Members who now compose this Committee.

October 12, 1776. The late Committee induced by the Re-

solve of the Convention as well as the Necessity of the Case met when were present,—

John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. Michael Raymer, John Stoner, J. Haass, Baker Johnson, George Murdock, Charles Beatty and Conrad Grosh.

The Committee having examined several Accounts for the securing two Deserters laid before them order that the Chairman pay the same allowing 14<sup>d</sup> per day for their Diet.

Ordered that the Guard be reduced to an Officer and four Men.

Committee adjourned to 14<sup>th</sup> Instant.

October 14, 1776. The Committee met.

Present: John Hanson Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Michael Raymer, Conrad Grosh, Baker Johnson, Charles Beatty, George George Murdock and John Adlum.

Ordered that Messrs. Charles Beatty and Baker Johnson represent to the Convention the superior Strength of the Tory Goal and recommend that as a preferable Place of Confinement to the common Goal, for the Tories here, during the Winter Season.

Ordered that Messrs. Beatty and Johnson likewise inform the Convention that the Tory prisoners now here have offered to give Security for their good Behaviour, and for their remaining within any Limits which the Convention may prescribe; and request the Convention to make some Order therein.

The Committee adjourns.

October 24, 1776. The Committee met by Especial Order.

Present; Michael Raymer Esq<sup>r</sup>, in the Chair, Messrs. Adam Fisher, Charles Beatty, John Haass, John Adlum, George Murdock, and Baker Johnson.

Upon Information to the Committee that Cap<sup>t</sup> Hugh Scott a Non Associator is at this time with the prisoners in parol in this Town contrary to a Resolve of this Committee of the 3<sup>d</sup> Sep<sup>t</sup> last,

It was resolved that Mr. Potts be requested to deliver Cap<sup>t</sup>

Scott a Copy of the same Resolve, and inform him that the Committee expect he will immediately comply with it.

Ordered that Mr. Hanson pay Cap<sup>t</sup> Doll his Account.

On the Application of several Soldiers belonging to the third Virginia Regiment setting forth that they are on their Way to join their Regiment at New York and want money to pay their necessary Expences, It was ordered that Mr. Hanson pay them 20/ out of the public money for that purpose.

[End of Journal.]

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## EXTRACTS FROM THE CARROLL PAPERS.

(Continued from Vol. XI, p. 348.)

12 Novembe<sup>r</sup> 1763. [100]

D<sup>r</sup> Papa

This is to let you know I arrived safe in London the 6 instant: ever since, I have been in the greatest expectations of a letter from M<sup>r</sup> Crookshanks, who has promised me to get me introduced to M<sup>r</sup> Baker: wether I shall obtain that gentleman's consent to Marry his daughter seems very doubtful: he may perhaps object to my living in north America: if he does I must lay aside all thoughts of Miss Baker: the situation of our affairs absolutely require my residence in Maryland: and I can not sacrifice the future aggrandisement of our family to a woman: America is a growing country: in time it will & must be independent. As soon as I am introduced to M<sup>r</sup> Baker & know his determination I shall make you acquainted with it.

Very good brood Mares I make no doubt can be had for 25 or thirty pound: the most difficult task is to procure a good, sober, understanding groom: the having a gardiner or other servant to take care of them on their passage will be merely accidental, besides unsafe, as either the ignorance or sloth of such a fellow might be fatal to the Mares. If I can procure two good Mares I intend to get them covered:

My picture was done by Reynolds: tis a  $\frac{3}{4}$  length a half length wou'd come down to the knees. the price is fixed: I payed no more than what others pay.

I shall take care to deliver y<sup>r</sup> message to M<sup>r</sup> Webb: or leave at his house an extract of that part of y<sup>r</sup> letter that relates to him. My friends think I look full as well in a wig as in my own hair.

I shall endeavour to right Huson if possible: but I am affraid all my trouble will be to no purpose. I wish you the enjoyment of y<sup>r</sup> health & pray to God for it. I am D<sup>r</sup> Papa

Y<sup>r</sup> affectionate Son

Cha: Carroll.

8 Decemb, 1763. [101]

D<sup>r</sup> Papa,

M<sup>r</sup> Perkins has informed me that a packet is to sail for New York next Saturday: & tho' I wrote to you the 12 of last month & have nothing new or material to say yet as my letters seem to afford you some pleasure I am willing you should enjoy it as often as possible.

Cap<sup>t</sup> Kelty & Hanson are arrived: the Cane Spirits have been delivered for w<sup>h</sup> I return you my thanks my fate is yet undecided. I wrote this very day to M<sup>r</sup> Baker at Southampton: I should have wrote sooner but the expectation of a letter from M<sup>r</sup> Crookshanks w<sup>h</sup> is not yet come to hand, made me put it off till now. M<sup>r</sup> Baker I hear has had two wives & Children by both, his daughter therefore will not probably have so great a fortune as M<sup>r</sup> Crookshanks imagined: the probability of my succeeding is the greater: women entitled to large fortunes are not easily persuaded to leave England.

My Lady Webb has had the generosity & benevolence to continue to M<sup>r</sup> Ireland the annuity paid by her Husb<sup>d</sup> Sir Thomas: instead of £30 she will remit annually to M<sup>r</sup> Ireland by M<sup>r</sup> Perkins 30 guineas. I am well acquainted with Jos: Webb his youngest son who has promised at my desire to introduce me to his mother. I shall return her M<sup>r</sup> Ireland's thanks for the con-

tinuation of the charity & if an opportunity offers endeavours to get the additional sum of 10 guineas paid to his son.

In yours of the 20 Sept<sup>r</sup> you promised to send me by Kelty the Genealogy. I have seen Kelty, but I forgot to ask him for it & perhaps he forgot to deliver it to me. I have rec<sup>d</sup> no letters this long time from M<sup>r</sup> Whitten I shall write to him soon and send him the copy of the genealogy if it is arrived with an extract of that part of y<sup>r</sup> letter which relates to Kean Carroll. You may expect by Hanson the continuation of Geogans & Warner's irish histories as also the natural history of Kamkatska if they are published: I have acquainted M<sup>r</sup> Webb the seedsman with y<sup>r</sup> commission: your instructions for my voy<sup>a</sup> & about the Mares if they can be had at a reasonable rate shall be punctually followed: I have given a country gentleman of my acquaintance a commission to look out two for me at £25 each: their pedigree to be well attested &c. Before the receipt of y<sup>r</sup> last I had a plate of our arms ingraved & 200 stamps with only my name at the bottom, & had ordered 400 more. I shall leave the plate with the engraver to supply me with more stamps if wanted: the plate is too short to have the words you direct inserted. M<sup>r</sup> Bird thanks you kindly for the Cane Spirits; I could not spare him the 2 Doz of Madeira as I have but a small quantity left which will be serviceable on ship board. I shall make M<sup>r</sup> Bird some other return for his civilities to me. M<sup>r</sup> Graves my fellow traveller has introduced me to the company he generally dines with: they are most of them Parlia<sup>t</sup> men, lawyers, or have had a law education and are men of sense. their conversation is instructive & entertaining & tho' the Tavern bills are pretty high, our quota generally amounting to 8<sup>s</sup> 6<sup>d</sup> a head, it would be foolish & mean to decline their company on that account. One of these gentlemen got me twice admittance into the house of commons: the first debate I heard, arose upon a motion for an address to his Majesty on his most gracious speech: M<sup>r</sup> Beckford the most violent of the opposition said he should consider the speech not as the King's but as the Ministers: that he had been all along & still was of opinion that the

peace was inglorious & inadequate to our successes: words directly contradictory of those made use of in the speech: he severely reflected on the proclamation for settling our new acquisitions: he openly declared the present ministry incapable of governing, ignorant of geography, arbitrary & despotick. Mr Pitt made a long speech no less severe but more cautious: the peace he thought inadequate: that the greatest advantages had been given up to the French without an equivalent: that a total exclusion from the Newfoundland fishery should have been insisted on: for his part whatever notions people might entertain, he could safely say he did not censure for the sake of censuring or from any ill humour: that he entertained the highest opinion of those ministers who could derive advantages from a peace from which he himself could not foresee any: far from being fond of power or a ministerial influence he was resolved to shun both: it tis but just that those ministers who made the peace should be continued in office to improve their own work: should I, contrary to my wish, once more assume the cares of government a disappointed nation would attribute to my partiality & Dislike to the peace the small advantages derived to their country in proportion to the vast expense of blood & treasure. He very artfully touched upon the present divisions & distracted state of the nation. I am really of opinion we are divided more by names than things: there was a time & that too not very distant (meaning his own administration) when the nation was all unanimity, to what is the present disunion owing? are not the principles of men now in power the same with those out of power? are they not revolution principles, the principles of liberty, agreeable to this constitution? let there be a kind of political test established, let it require the highest veneration for Magna Charta, express the strongest aversion to false imprisonment, a profound regard for the Habeas corpus Act the great protector on english liberty, is there even a Minister who would scruple to subscribe such a test? and if he does what danger is to be apprehended from his administration, unless his hand subscribes what his heart, what his conduct dis-

claims. Mr Pitt's manner of speaking indeliberate yet animated, his voice distinct tho' not loud, his words bold, sometimes too pompous, his thoughts deep, his imagination truly sublime.

The House of Commons has come to the following resolutions: the North Briton N<sup>o</sup> 45 voted a seditious libel tending to raise traiterous insurrections: a member of Parlia<sup>t</sup> writing a seditious libel has no privilege: the North Briton N<sup>o</sup> 45 to be burnt by the hands of the common hangman. It was accordingly burnt some days ago, the mob rose, insulted & slightly wounded Mr Harley the Sheriff & rescued a part of the paper from the flames: this affair is now under the consideration of both houses. One of Mr Wilke's actions against Wood was yesterday determined in the Court of Common Pleas. After 15 hours hearing the Jury which was special withdrew & brought in their verdict for the Plaintiff with £1000 damages & full costs of suit. Mr Wilkes is out of danger but will not be able to attend the house these 3 weeks: the majority will not proceed against him any further till he can attend in his place: I say no further for certainly the above resolutions affect Mr Wilkes: if he is proved the author of the North Briton he will be expelled the house, and no one here makes the least [doubt] but that he will be expelled: his story is pregnant with incidents: every day brings something fresh: yesterday one S MacDun was taken into custody for intending to assassinate Mr Wilkes: he is a Scotsman & a madman and lately let loose from a private mad house: he will be brought to day to the bar of the house of Commons:

The Acco<sup>t</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup> Kelty gives me of y<sup>r</sup> health affords me great satisfaction: I hope your wrist is quite recovered: the Cap<sup>t</sup> told me how sensibly you was affected at hearing I had the small pox: during my illness what gave me the most pain till I was out of danger, was the thoughts what sorrow and affliction you would feel at the news of my death: I am now enjoying my health very well & wishing you a continuation of yours I am

D<sup>r</sup> Papa

Y<sup>r</sup> affectionate & dutiful

son Ch. Carroll.

P. S.—I pray give my compli<sup>ts</sup> to M<sup>rs</sup> Darnall: I congratulate with her upon the recovery of her daughter from the small pox. I desire to be remembered to John Darnall Ric: Croxall & to Cap<sup>t</sup> Carroll: tell him I thank him for his useful letter: but that in these times of liberty he should fill up his words: a dash is unnecessary.

Janu: 9<sup>th</sup> 1764. [102]

Dr Charley,

I yesterday evening Received y<sup>rs</sup> of the 11<sup>th</sup> of Oct<sup>r</sup> Past from Paris & as it is on a very Interesting Subject I Cannot Delay answering it. I hope Miss Baker may be Endowed with all the good Sense & good nature you say she has Giving this for granted you have my full Consent to Pay y<sup>r</sup> Addresses to her. But as you value y<sup>r</sup> Owne Happyness Endeavour to be well informed whether Miss Baker is th<sup>t</sup> sensible sweet temperd Lady you Represent her to be Believe me these are Essential to y<sup>r</sup> future happyness for without Domestick Peace & Content Matrimony must prove a Curse instead of a Blessing you have reason from her Education to Place Confidence in her virtue. As to her Fortune whatever it may be you know it does not with me enter into any sort of Comparison w<sup>th</sup> virtue good nature & Good Sense. I was so full to you on this Subject in my letters of the 1<sup>st</sup> of Sep<sup>r</sup> 1762 and June 22: 1763 th<sup>t</sup> I must begg you to refer to them I only add that I hereby again Bind myself to Comply with what I promised in the first Relating to the settlement to be made on y<sup>r</sup> Wife, knowing this letter will be as Binding on me as any Bond or Settlement Executed by me. Should the Lady Bring you a Considerable fortune w<sup>h</sup> you say you have Reason to Expect from the manner of her Education, you need not Apprehend y<sup>r</sup> Children or family will be Hurt by the settlement I propose in Case the Lady should survive you, unless you should turn out a spend thrift w<sup>h</sup> from y<sup>r</sup> Past Conduct I have not the least Grounds to Surmise: for the growing Int: on the Ladys fortune with the Principall will be a very sufficient fund for the Payment of the Dower to be Stipulated & I Confess th<sup>t</sup> my whole Estate if necessary may be Bound to

make good such settlement Only note th<sup>t</sup> if hereafter you should Incline to leave Maryland The Lands may not be so Bound as to Prevent a Sale of th<sup>m</sup> in w<sup>h</sup> Case it may be Covenanted th<sup>t</sup> the Moneys arising by such sale should be vested in other Purchases & th<sup>t</sup> such Purchases should be Lyable to make good the Settlement. And th<sup>t</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Baker may be Convinced I am Capable of Securing whatever Fortune he may think proper to give his Daughter I hereby give you a short Abstract of the Value of my Estate

40,000 Acres of Land two Seats above Contain- ing each upwards of 12000 would now sell at 20/ Ster p <sup>r</sup> Acre	£40000 : 0 : 0
1-5 of the Iron Works Consisting of the Most Convenient Furnaces in America with two forges Built a third Erecting with all Convenient Build- ings 150 slaves young & old Teams Carts &c & 30,000 Acres of Land Belonging to the works a very growing Estate w <sup>ch</sup> Produces to my 5 <sup>th</sup> Annually at least £400 ster at 25 years Purchase	10,000 : 0 : 0
2 Lots in Annapolis with the Houses thereon	4,000 : 0 : 0
285 Slaves on my Diff <sup>t</sup> Plantations at £30 sterl each in an Average	8550 : 0 : 0
Cattle, Horses & Stock of all Sorts on my Plantations with Working Tools &c	1000 : 0 : 0
Silver Household Plate	600 : 0 : 0
Debts outstanding at Interest in 1762 when I Ballanced my Books	24230 : 9 : 7
	88380 : 9 : 7

You must not suppose my Annuall income to Equal the Interest of the Value of my Estate many of my Lands are unimproved But I Compute I have a Clear Revenue of at least £1800 p<sup>r</sup> Annum & the Value of my Estate is Annually Encreasing by the Increase of the Value of my Lands. A Thing of so much importance as Matrimony is not to be precipitated. But as you

took it into y<sup>r</sup> Head last Octo<sup>r</sup> I hope if you proceed you may finish it so as to be with me next Summer or at farthest in the fall. You have long been impatient to be with me, for y<sup>r</sup> good I have long deprived myself of the Pleasure. But as next Aprill I shall Enter into my Grand Climaterick, you must not wonder th<sup>t</sup> in my Turn, I should grow impatient. I long to see Miss Baker with you, as you paint her in so Amiable a Light, But see you I must, & when my eyes are Closed live where you Please, I think Maryland more agreeable to sollid Happyness than any Country I have seen it is plentiful & the Climate Charming. If I can find a likelyhood of an Established Correspondence to Howard I will write to M<sup>r</sup> Nizet for wines at Present such a one does not exist. It was with great Pleasure I heard th<sup>t</sup> Mons<sup>r</sup> Labbe de LIse Dieu was well I loved him the moment I saw him, his Virtue is so Conspicuous his manner so engaging th<sup>t</sup> a man must be insensible not to Esteem him on the slightest Acquaintance, tell him I am not Accustomed to make Compliments th<sup>t</sup> it would be Ridiculous to Endeavour to impose upon him by such at 1200 Leagues Distance that these are the Sentiments of my Heart th<sup>t</sup> I love & Esteem him & th<sup>t</sup> I wish him Health & Every Happyness. I expect by the 1<sup>st</sup> ships after y<sup>r</sup> Return from Paris every Paper & Phamphlet Relating to the Jesuits & the Journall of y<sup>r</sup> Tour. God Grant you Health & the Accomplishment of all y<sup>r</sup> wishes w<sup>h</sup> may Conduce to His Glory & y<sup>r</sup> Reall Happyness being My D<sup>r</sup> Charley  
Y<sup>r</sup> Mo: Aff<sup>t</sup> Father.

Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> 1764. [102]

D<sup>r</sup> Charley

I did not in myne of yesterday mention good M<sup>r</sup> Crookshanks as it might not then have been Proper to Acknowledge the fresh obligation you & I are under to him for Introducing you to Miss Baker, I Cannot express the true Regard & Afection I bear him therefore only tell him I love & Esteem him most sincerely th<sup>t</sup> I wish him Health & Happyness here. His Virtue insures it to him hereafter. I am Persuaded he would not have

made such an Overture to you had he not thought you deserved the Lady & th<sup>t</sup> she was deserving of you a View to y<sup>r</sup> Mutuall Happyness I am Convinced induced him to propose her to you. He as you tell me Candidly told you he was not Acquainted with M<sup>r</sup> Baker's Circumstances but Judged he must be a Man of Great Wealth by the unlimited Credit he allows his Daughter; Y<sup>r</sup> Prudence therefore I doubt not directed you to Enquire into his Circumstances before you waited on him. You will be informed whether his fortune Consists in Plantations & Negroes in the Islands or in Cash. If in Cash the settlement I think should only be for the Fortune paid downe. If he Proposes beside a fortune in hand to settle on his Daughter after his Death his Lands & Negroes it would be well if they Could be settled at least on her Male issue by you & the enjoyment in Case of y<sup>r</sup> Death to the Lady during life, in w<sup>h</sup> Case no Security Can be Required for the Reall Estate or Settlement stipulated by you for the same. If you find it will not be Prudent to make such a Proposall you must wait a future time to make it to the Lady in Case you marry her. I know not M<sup>r</sup> Bakers age. Even if old he may marry again, this Consideration will incline you (if you Can adroitly) to get his Estate settled on the Lady. At this distance were I acquainted with every Circumstance I Could but advise & my advice in all Probability may Come too late, Incidents may arise w<sup>h</sup> I cannot foresee therefore I must leave all to y<sup>r</sup> Prudence & Discretion, Praying God to Direct you & wishing you Health & Happyness I again Assure you th<sup>t</sup> I am My D<sup>r</sup> Charly

Y<sup>r</sup> Mo: Affit<sup>t</sup> Father

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Jan<sup>ry</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> 1764. [103]

D<sup>r</sup> Charley

You no doubt will by every opportunity write to me on the Subject of y<sup>rs</sup> of the 11<sup>th</sup> of Octo<sup>r</sup> from Paris, & let me know whether things turn out as you imagined as to M<sup>r</sup> Bakers Circumstances &c. I am D<sup>r</sup> Charley

Y<sup>r</sup> Mo: Affte<sup>te</sup> Father.

[John Baker to Chas Carroll of Carrollton]

Bath Thursday 15 Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1763. [104]

S<sup>r</sup>

It was not till late last night at my return from Bristol to this place that I was honoured with yours of the 8 instant, which was sent me from my house near Southampton, else good manners would not have suffered you to wait so long for an answer to it.

Tis true S<sup>r</sup> I have not the pleasure of personally knowing you tho I am far from being altogether a stranger to the name of y<sup>r</sup> family; but it is impossible for me to give a precise answer to y<sup>r</sup> proposal, tho' such satisfaction as I can give you, I will.

As to what you suggest of my having perhaps already pitched upon some other Gentleman for my daughter, believe me S<sup>r</sup> tis a matter I had not yet begun to think of and perhaps but for so unexpected an incident as the present should not for a long time to come have at all thought about it, she being now but in her seventeenth year, which I think upon the whole, rather too early to engage in the married state; so that on this particular head I can give you, I believe all the satisfaction you desire: neither her mother or myself having ever turned our thoughts on any particular gentleman, or indeed considered the matter as yet calling for our attention; and I have great reason to believe her own affections to be as utterly disengaged as they were ten years ago.

As to your fortune S<sup>r</sup> I have some reason to suppose it such as I could have no objection to, and indeed to be far more considerable than my daughter might be (what the world calls) intitled to: so that should every other circumstance be agreeable to both parties, the objection in that article is more likely, as I take it to proceed from y<sup>r</sup> part than from mine, and even if the great liking you seem to have conceived for her should be powerful enough to induce yourself to dispense with what another would insist on, what certainty is there that your father would so easily be brought to dispense with it too?

Y<sup>r</sup> father S<sup>r</sup> who is at so considerable a distance & yet with-

out whose approbation I dare say neither would you yourself nor on any the most advantageous terms would I, chuse to have effected what you seem so desirous of.

Thus you S<sup>r</sup> (which is all that yet can be) I am not as yet sensible of any objections I should have to your proposal: what may hereafter arise from a farther enquiry into each other's situation & character or from a personal conference or from her liking or not liking your person, or you from a farther knowledge & acquaintance not continuing to like hers, it is impossible now to say.

All I can assure you is that I should not affect to raise any: and will even ingenuously own to you that I seem to observe in y<sup>r</sup> manner of writing certain marks of candour & worth that rather incline me to wish I might not find any; nor can I be wholly without sentiments of gratitude for one who appears to have entertained so sincere & disinterested regard for a daughter who from her infancy has been so exceeding dear to me. I have the honour to be

[Signed] John Baker.

27 Janu<sup>ry</sup> 1764. [104]

Dr Papa

In my last of the 8 Decemb<sup>r</sup> I let you know of my having wrote to M<sup>r</sup> Baker: a week after I received the enclosed answer. I repaired immediately to Bath; my Physician had advised me to drink the waters, and I think I find myself benefited by them: for this some time past I have felt a gradual decay of strength and wasting of flesh attended with unusual low spirits: my nerves are weak and my whole frame very delicate, tho' my lungs are not the least affected: my Bath Physician has ordered a regimen which I am to stick to for 5 or 6 weeks & he doubts not of my being restored again to my usual strength. I am to drink every morning in bed a pint of asses milk, to breakfast & sup on milk & to use the cold bath twice a week: pray dont let my indisposition give you any concern as it is thought not the least dangerous & I find myself growing better.

Mr Baker left Bath 2 or three days after my arrival: he gave me an invitation to come and see him at his seat near Southampton: I accepted the invitation and went from Bath to Grove Place where I remained a full fortnight. Mr Baker is a man of sense and honour: his second wife the mother of the young lady is living, she is no favourite of mine, nor I of hers, if the daughter's temper resembles the mother's I shall leave England next May or June: Miss Baker will come to England in April: my returning to Paris is therefore unnecessary. Mr Baker proposes going next May or June to St Croix, in which Island his estate lays: in his absence Mr Tuite with whom he is much connected, will be intrusted and empowered to act in his stead; from the enclosed paper which is in Mr Tuite's own hand writing you will be able to form some judgment of Mr Baker's circumstances, for Tuite is as well acquainted with them as Baker himself. In talking of the settlement, in case the match takes place, Mr Baker told me he intended to leave his estate real & personal equally divided among all his children his 4 sons and daughter: that gentleman's affairs at present are somewhat embarrassed: he owes £St 10000 which he was obliged to take up to clear, settle, and plant his sugar lands: this he himself acknowledged; from this circumstance and from several other limits I plainly understood I was not to expect any ready money with his daughter at least no considerable sum: he hinted that if you should not be contented with an equal division between all the children to take place at his death, a certain sum might be agreed upon, as a portion for the young lady to carry interest till the principal should be payed off. he will undoubtedly expect a great part of yr estate to be settled on me and the issue of the marriage, but these matters I leave entirely to yr own discretion & pleasure. I shall just here insert a few general terms which Mr Graves at my request was so obliging as to set down upon paper: I have shown them to Baker, he read them & said he would return an answer when I received one to my letter from Paris: as I wrote in the latter end of Septbr and sent a copy of that letter in the beginning of Octobr I may expect an answer from you in February or March.

## General terms

I think I mentioned in my last the company or set Mr Graves has introduced me to: perhaps you may be desirous to know who they are: the following are the principal men: Mr Hussey attorney general to the queen: Mr Barington my lord Barington's brother and one of the welch Judges, Mr Prat member of Parl<sup>t</sup> and nephew to the chief Justice. Mr Camphion mem<sup>br</sup> of Parl<sup>t</sup> and sometimes Doctor Hay favours us with his company. Mr Hussey has desired me when I return to Maryland to send the company a buck: as I shall be detained here longer than he imagines I should be greatly obliged to you if you could send me one by the first oportunity; it must be cut up into several joints, each joint covered with bay salt and closely packed in a separate box: he says he has eat many sent from Virginia in that manner which proved exceeding good. I desire my cousin Rach: Darnall may be intrusted with this commission Pray present her with my compliments and acknowledge<sup>t</sup> for the regard and tender concern she seems to bare me. I shall answer her letter which I have just received by Hanson: you no doubt hav heard of Mr Wilke's fate: he has been expelled from the house of commons, but took care previously to withdraw to France it was said great wagers were laid wether he would return or not before the meeting of the Parliat<sup>t</sup>. I would like to have laid a considerable sum that he would not return so persuaded was I that he never intended to return.

N: B: the 6  $\text{q}$  C<sup>t</sup> will not be thought sufficient settlement I am told that settlements are frequently made at the rate of 8  $\text{q}$  C<sup>t</sup> the going to America will no Doubt be made a reason for demanding a larger settlement on my Wife in case of my death: a woman that abandons father, mother, & all her relations out of love for her husband deserves a handsome jointure. I beg to be remembered to my friends in particular to John Darnall, Rich: Croxall & Capt. Carroll.

I have sent you a copy of Mr Baker's letter not caring to part with the original. I have not as yet seen Mr Diggs as I am but lately arrived in town, you may depend on my treating him

with that civility which is due to a gentleman you esteem. I have spoke to M<sup>r</sup> Bird about the toko man: he will endeavor to find one out to go on the terms proposed: but he doubts wether a good workman can be engaged to leave England on such terms, as they earn a great deal of money & have constant employ<sup>t</sup>: Kely has delivered the Pedigree it shall be copied & sent to M<sup>r</sup> Witten by some safe oportunity: I have received no letters from that gentleman this long while. I am D<sup>r</sup> Papa

Y<sup>r</sup> affectionate & dutifull

Son Cha: Carroll.

#### Some General terms.

It being supposed that M<sup>r</sup> B: after every debt payed is worth £50,000 and that he has but 5 Children and intends to make them all equal in their fortune.

What sum as a portion to his daughter will M<sup>r</sup> B. absolutely secure on her marriage to carry interest from that time & untill the principal be payed

And what further fortune may she reasonably expect at his death under his promise to make her equal to any other child? In consideration of the above supposing M<sup>r</sup> C's father to be worth £460,000

What portion thereof will M<sup>r</sup> B. expect to be settled on the marriage?

And of what shall be so settled how much for life upon the wife (if she survive) as a Jointure. how much upon the younger Child or Children?

And Provided there be no son of such marriage but one or more daughters how much of the above settlement to go to such daur or daurs & how much thereof to revert to the disposal of M<sup>r</sup> C.?

A List or valuation of the Estates of Jn<sup>o</sup> Baker Esq<sup>r</sup> in the Island of S<sup>t</sup> Croix in America viz.

A Plantation called Concordia ab<sup>t</sup> 480 acres of Land with Buildings proper for making sug<sup>r</sup> & Rum. about 150 negroes. 30 to 40 head of cattle & mules. & now in a condition to make communibus annis 300 hhds sug<sup>r</sup> & 150 hh<sup>ds</sup> of Rum, but yearly

improve<sup>s</sup> & will I suppose in the space of 4 or 5 years make at Least 400 hhds of sug<sup>r</sup> & 200 hhds of Rum.

Another Plantation called Plessens in w<sup>ch</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Baker is one moyety concerned, the whole containing 900 acres of Land with Buildings proper for making sug<sup>r</sup> & Rum, about 300 to 350 negroes about 40 head of Mules & Cattle & now in a condition to make in the whole 500 hhds Sug<sup>r</sup> & 250 hhds of Rum but yearly improve<sup>s</sup> & will I suppose in the space of 4 or 5 years be capable of make<sup>s</sup> at least 700 to 800 hhds of Sug<sup>r</sup> & 350 to 400 hhds of Rum, so that M<sup>r</sup> Bakers moyety being added to his own Produce will be as follows viz.

The Produce of Concordia at p<sup>sent</sup> 450 hhds of sug<sup>r</sup> & Rum at 7<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>s</sup>  $\text{p}$  hhd<sup>d</sup> clear of freight Insurance & commissions & £3150.0.0

one moyety of the Produce of Plessens at p <sup>sent</sup>	375 hhds
of sug <sup>r</sup> & Rum at 7 <sup>l</sup> ster <sup>s</sup> $\text{p}$ hhd clear of charges	2625

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out of w<sup>ch</sup> you are to deduct the annual charges of Each Plant<sup>a</sup> viz. for overseers wages taxes Doctors fees mortality of negroes & Cattle. feeding the negroes. Boards, staves & hoops & all other charges about 2000<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>s</sup> for both Estates in their present condition deduct

2000.

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3775

nett produce yearly in the present condition.

But as the Plantations are not as yet come to their full perfection & that in case of war, the nett value of sug<sup>r</sup> & Rum may be 10<sup>l</sup>  $\text{p}$  hhd or upwards, I think the nett produce of the whole may be justly rated at Four thousand five Hundred pounds ster<sup>s</sup>  $\text{p}$  annum communibus annis for the next Twenty years to come & may be much more.

Bath 22<sup>d</sup> Dber 1763.

The foregoing is a just & true acco<sup>t</sup> or valuation of the Estates

or Plantations of Jn<sup>o</sup> Baker Esq<sup>r</sup> in the Island of St Croix to the Best of my Knowledge w<sup>ch</sup> I will at any time confirm on oath if required witness my hand

N. Tuite

Feb 27<sup>th</sup> 1764. [105]

D<sup>r</sup> Charley

Y<sup>rs</sup> of the 11<sup>th</sup> of Octo: 1763 I answered the 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> of last Jan<sup>ry</sup> immediately on the Receipt of it. I have since y<sup>rs</sup> of the 12<sup>th</sup> of Nov<sup>r</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> I was in hopes before I opened it would have informed me whether you had M<sup>r</sup> Bakers Consent to pay y<sup>r</sup>: respects to his Daughter and whether he was the man of th<sup>t</sup> fortune you expected; this you might have known from the 6<sup>th</sup> to the 12<sup>th</sup> of Nov<sup>r</sup> you might have also informed me why you did not bring M<sup>r</sup> Crookshanks Introductory Letter with you. You ought to have mentioned the Dates of such of my letters as had reached you. D<sup>r</sup> Charley if you would give y<sup>r</sup> self time to reflect w<sup>t</sup> my concern & anxiety must be, you would have been as particular as it was in y<sup>r</sup> power to be. Should M<sup>r</sup> Bakers objection be ag<sup>st</sup> his Daughters leaving him, if he be a good natured sensible man, he may come with his Daughter & retire with me to Elkridge where we may pass the remainder of our lives in an easy retirement becoming & I think agreeable to old men. In th<sup>t</sup> case I shall surrender my house in Annapolis to you, being desirous on my part to remove every difficulty or objection th<sup>t</sup> may have the appearance of reason, to promote y<sup>r</sup> happiness. I write but little because you may at this time be preparing for y<sup>r</sup> Voyage to Maryland, in th<sup>t</sup> case I pray to God to grant you a safe & pleasant one. I am D<sup>r</sup> Charley

Y<sup>r</sup> Mo: Aff<sup>te</sup> Father

Febry 28<sup>th</sup> 1764. [106]

D<sup>r</sup> Charley

This is only to inform you I this day Reced y<sup>rs</sup> of the 8<sup>th</sup> of Dec<sup>r</sup>. If you like the Lady I hope her merit may in a great measure make up for w<sup>t</sup> her fortune may fall short of y<sup>r</sup> expect-

tation. Act with Caution. May God direct you. What you say about Mr Ireland will be most wellcome News to him & he will thank Lady Webb. As Mr Baker has other Children my invitation to him to come here is at an end. You leave me in the greatest state of uncertainty, could you not learn w<sup>t</sup> Mr Baker is supposed to be worth, where his Estate Lays, of w<sup>t</sup> it consists, w<sup>t</sup> sum you suppose he may, or may be able to give his Daughter. I suppose you had some information as to these particulars & to many more before you wrote to him. I cannot write to you as fully as I would do were you more Explicit. I am My Dr Charley

Y<sup>r</sup> Mo: aff<sup>t</sup> Father

27<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>ry</sup> 1764. [107]

Dr Papa,

My last was dated the 27 of Jan<sup>ry</sup> this goes by Cap<sup>t</sup> Macgahan, by whom you will receive the news-papers & magazines.

Mr Lee proposes to return soon to Maryland, he will be so obliging as to bring with him Wards Medicines & the long-promised french Pamphlets: but I hope you will not be under a necessity of making me [torn] the medicines. I find myself much mended since my last & in better spirits. I keep at present a couple of horses: my Phy<sup>a</sup> recommended riding & as I find that exercise suits best my constitution, I shall continue to keep horses as long as I remain in England.

By the newspapers you will learn the fate of Mr Wilkes, and the event of the debates in the house of Commons subsequ<sup>t</sup> to that gentlemen's expulsion and in consequence of a complaint made by him while a member of a breach of Privilege on being arrested and his papers seized by the Secretary's warrant: the compl<sup>t</sup> against Webb & Wood was discharged: The legality of the warrant as the house sat till 6 next morning was adjourn'd to the friday following: each party mustered all their force for that important day: the house resembled more a hospital than a Senate. Sr Lawrence Dundass was bro<sup>t</sup> upon a couch into the house just before the division & carried out in the same man-

ner when he divided with the ministry: the division was upon the previous question being put; the ministry not daring to go into the general question concerning the legality or illegality of the warrant: that question has been adjourned for 4 months that is entirely put off. A Bill will soon be bro<sup>t</sup> into the house for taxing America: tis said a duty will be laid upon stamped paper. M<sup>r</sup> Baker is in town I am impatient to receive y<sup>r</sup> answer: wishing you health I am D<sup>r</sup> Papa

Y<sup>r</sup> loving Son

Ch: Carroll.

21 March 1764. [108]

D<sup>r</sup> Papa

Cap<sup>t</sup> Kelty will deliver you this and the following books & Pamphlets: the natural history of Kamschatska: Orme's history of Indostan lately published: the second volume of Warner's Irish history is not yet come out: Gahagan's cannot be had at present there being none in town. Lord Clives letter, 2 numbers of the votes of the house of Commons, the newspapers & one magazine: the royal french Almanack, 6 Pamphlets relative to the Jesuites: I shall send by M<sup>r</sup> Lee or Cap<sup>t</sup> Hanson Wards medicines as also my journal, Accounts, & the dissertations upon the Irish history you wrote for.

I have greatly exceeded this last year my allowance of £300 by my journey to Holland & France, but I expect to be amply repaid the expence of that expedition in the possession of a sensible, agreeable & virtuous woman.

I have just purchased for 15 guineas a theodolyte the completest instrument for surveying that can be had: if I should have large tracts of land to survey a wheel will be necessary: the price is 5 guineas: however it will be time enough when by experience I have found a wheel to be necessary, to order one in.

I have got the Genealogy copied & am waiting for an opportunity to get it conveyed to M<sup>r</sup> Whitten. By the newspapers you will see the french Jesuites have received the finishing stroke.

By the votes I sent you, you will see the different taxes that have just been laid on the colonies: the Merchants have petitioned against the taking off the drawbacks upon coarse linens alledging it to be of great detriment to the trade of this kingdom that it will occasion the setting up linen manufactures in North America: I am informed that Mr Greenville said in answer to the Merchants that the grievances complained of should be examined into, and if found liable to the above exceptions, some other tax less detrimental might be substituted in its stead.

Should my marriage with Miss Baker not take place I shall leave England in the Autumn: I impatiently wish to be with you. I am rather of opinion that I shall not succeed with Miss Baker, supposing even upon a better acquaintance I should find she answers the character all her friends give her: the going to America is a prodigious objection to young ladies: should Miss Baker's good sense & inclinations overcome this objection, her mother will never be brought to consent to her daughter's parting from her especially as there will be little hope of their ever meeting again in this life: had I known the mother before I opened the affair to Mr Baker I should have entirely dropt the thoughts of that marriage.

I have sent you the gentlemen's register instead of Killers, as it is much more perfect & correct. Pray present my kind compliments to my Cousin Rach. Darnall & to her daughters: remember me to John Darnall & Rich: Croxall: I am D<sup>r</sup> P:

Y<sup>r</sup> most affectionate &  
dutiful son Ch: Carroll.

P: S: I had just finished the above when I received your long & much expected letter of the 9 Jan<sup>ry</sup> in mine of the 27 of the same month you have as full and as circumstantial an account as I can give of Mr Baker's circumstances & family: all I could say upon that subject at present would be useless repetition. Mr Baker & his Lady will be in town in about a fortnight: but not to lose time I shall write to him & inclose a copy of your letter or at least of such parts as I judge most proper to be com-

municated: matrimony is an affair of too much weight & importance to be precipitated: it will require some time to know the young lady's temper & disposition: but you may be assured I shall use all the expedition consistent with prudence & decency to bring the affair to a speedy conclusion. I have always been and still am as desirous as ever to return: and as the match is concluded or broke off that minute will I prepare for my voy<sup>a</sup>. I told M<sup>r</sup> Baker at our first interview that my interest and more particularly my inclination led me to live in America; he hinted that during your life there was no necessity for my returning home. I made him this answer. You know little of me, Sir, and do me injustice to imagine that I can be prevailed on to live absent from a father, whom I most tenderly love, to whose company & conversation I would willingly sacrifice every other enjoy<sup>t</sup> should I not discover the utmost ingratitude & cruelty in complying with so unnatural a proposal, even supposing my Father's consent to it could be obtained? & indeed, Sir, his consent would give me great concern & uncaring as it would betray a cool indifference, which I should merit, were I even to suffer such a proposal to be made.

This short & firm reply convinced M<sup>r</sup> Baker he must adopt this alternative either to lose his daughter if the match should take place, or brake it off immediately. as he did not think proper to do the latter, he was then willing to make a sacrifice of his fondness to his daughter's welfare & happiness: But since my acquaintance with M<sup>rs</sup> Baker wether influenced by her or by a discovery of something disagreeable in me, he has shewn rather too much indifference to be thought desirous of the marriage: this may be only surmise or perhaps owing to his temper, or to care & disappointments: be it as it will in my letter I shall acquaint him of the settlement you propose to make, the necessity of my returning to Maryland and that too as soon as possible after the marriage: and desire him to recommend to the earnest consideration of his Lady wether she can sacrifice maternal fondness to her daughters inclinations: wether or no I can prevail upon the young lady to accompany me to America

will depend upon her affection for, or her dislike to me: But if the mother thinks she is not mistress of sufficient resolution to surmount the parting with her daughter, the affair is at an end & and you may expect me in this next summer or in the fall: I chuse rather to forego my own happiness than make a Parent miserable. Believe me to be D<sup>r</sup> Papa

Y<sup>r</sup> most affectionate and  
dutiful son

March 23<sup>d</sup> 1764.

Ch: Carroll.

## SECOND REGIMENT, MARYLAND VOLUNTEER INFANTRY.<sup>1</sup>

The second Maryland regiment was raised in the City of Baltimore by the government and the field officers were appointed by the President. On leaving Baltimore for the North Carolina campaign it numbered 953 men. Shortly after arriving at Newbern, N. C., the Colonel resigned, and Lieutenant-Colonel Duryee commanded the regiment through Burnside's campaign in North Carolina.

In the Maryland campaign, the Second Maryland took an active part in the battles of South Mountain and Antietam. At Antietam it was the first regiment to assault the stone (Burnside's) bridge at 10 a. m. on the 17th September, 1862. It made many attempts without the support of artillery to carry the bridge on which was concentrated the fire of Longstreet's artillery and rifleman, and in consequence suffered many casualties.

Jacob Eugene Duryee was a private in Company F, Seventh regiment, New York State Militia, when it was mustered into the United States service April 17th, 1861. He was appointed First Lieutenant, Company G, Fifth Regiment, N. Y. Vols.,

<sup>1</sup> Condensed from documents presented to the Society by General Duryee, which contain numerous references to the "War of the Rebellion Records" and other sources, as to the services of the regiment.

May 10, 1861; was promoted Captain, and on September 21st, 1861, was appointed Lieutenant-Colonel, Second Maryland Regiment Volunteers by President Lincoln. On March 13th, 1865, was brevetted Colonel, and Brigadier-General "for gallant and meritorious services." Col. Duryee was in command of the Second Maryland during the campaigns in North Carolina, under General Burnside; in the Army of Virginia under General Pope; and the Maryland campaign under General McClellan, doing double duty as Colonel and Lieutenant-Colonel. In the short space of less than three weeks he led his regiment through five battles and many severe and hazardous skirmishes, his losses amounting to 212 men on the battlefield, and more than that number by sickness, owing to the fact that when the regiment was raised there were no physical examinations.

Lieutenant-Colonel Duryee had been appointed Colonel by General Burnside during the North Carolina campaign, subject to the approval of Governor Bradford, who had given him his Lieutenant-Colonel's commission to date from September 21st, 1861. A petition for the confirmation of this appointment was sent to the Governor signed by all of the officers of the regiment, and strongly urged by the Brigade Commander, General Reno, and the commanding officer of the Department, General Burnside. The Governor refused, his reason being that the Lieutenant-Colonel was a native of a northern state. As the regiment had never been in action before Lieutenant-Colonel Duryee took command, and as he had led it through seven engagements and seen it reduced in number to less than a company, he felt that great injustice had been done and tendered his resignation by the advice of General A. E. Burnside.

Colonel Duryee's statement of the reasons for his resignation follow, *verbatim*:

Shortly after the Battle of Antietam I decided to resign as I had heard that Governor Bradford had been on the field, and had ignored us, not even visiting the regiment or our cowshed hospital where so many brave Maryland soldiers lay wounded and dying. We needed the Governor's sympathy, besides our

wants were many, especially for medical supplies, etc. When I saw the governors of other States, Governor Morgan of New York, Curtin of Pennsylvania, Andrews of Massachusetts, and many others doing their best to alleviate the sufferings of the soldiers of their respective States, my heart went out to my poor men who had fought so bravely. Then to feel that I was entirely unable to help them at this time of their great distress, made the matter to me very trying.

It came very hard upon the regiment as we only had our good surgeon Theodore Dimon, to rely upon. Our very able assistant surgeon, Joseph E. Beatty, had been detailed by General Reno and left in charge of the hospital on the battlefield of Chantilly, about two weeks previous, and had not yet returned. In fact, he did not report for duty until after I had left the regiment. Owing to these unfortunate circumstances, great responsibilities fell on the shoulders of Surgeon Dimon who did all a man could do for the suffering men. When there were so many that needed prompt attention, it was only possible to give to very few the proper care they should have had, owing to the great number of the wounded.

After giving the matter serious reflection, I made out my resignation and went to the Headquarters of General Burnside. The General received me kindly. I then told him of my intention, at the same time handing him the paper. He promptly returned it, asking very decidedly and firmly that we would not accept it. I then said: "General, at reveille this morning less than 100 men answered the roll call, out of 953 men who had reported to you in North Carolina for duty in April, not five months ago.

"In these three strenuous campaigns just ended, I have commanded the regiment in every battle and engagement, actually filling two positions, while the Colonel who had been commissioned by the Governor and had never commanded, in fact had never seen the regiment, was in Baltimore during these most trying times."

To this statement of facts the General patiently listened,

but was still obdurate, until I said: "General, did Governor Bradford call on you when he visited the field a few days ago?" He replied: "He did not, but I suppose he visited the wounded and dying men of your brave regiment?" When I said: "He did not," the General's countenance seemed to change, now it showed deep sympathy, he said: "Colonel, I cannot accept your resignation, but let me sleep over it and come again to Headquarters to-morrow morning, and I will give you an answer."

The next morning I went to Headquarters for General Burnside's answer. The General took me cordially by the hand, saying: "I have carefully gone over during the night, your request of yesterday. I accept your resignation. I see no other course, for as matters appear to me now, you would not get any assistance from the Governor to help you recruit the regiment." I replied that I had never seen Governor Bradford. All correspondence in regard to his commissioning me Colonel had been done by the Generals over me and by the officers of the regiment. That I was under the impression that it would be sometime before the regiment would be engaged in very active service as our ranks had been so thinned out. In this I was right, for the regiment was not engaged in any battle for over a year, with the exception of the unfortunate battle of Fredericksburg, December 12th, 1862.

General Burnside said "Colonel, I accept your resignation with regret, and especially that it should be entirely owing to the unjustified treatment you and your regiment have received from the Executive of the State of Maryland." I then returned to camp, formed the remnant of the few brave soldiers left in the regiment and bade them farewell, shaking hands with everyone. I could plainly see by the expression on the face of every man that they all regretted my going fully as much as I did leaving them.

The fatalities of the regiment were: Killed or died of wounds, 5 officers and 84 men; from accidents, disease and in prison, 3 officers and 148 men; total 240.

At the battle of Antietam the following were killed or died of wounds:

Captain Malcolm Wilson, Company F.  
Captain James A. Martin, Company E.  
William Barman, Private, Company A.  
George W. Connelly, Private, Company A.  
James S. Clark, Sergeant, Company A.  
Charles Hauptman, Corporal, Company A.  
James Keily, Private, Company A.  
Christian Lookert, Private, Company A.  
Harry Stewart, Sergeant, Company A.  
George Waltzen, Private, Company A.  
John Q. Adams, Private, Company C.  
James K. Klumper, Private, Company E.  
John Frazier, Private, Company F.  
John Osborn, Color Sergeant.  
Joseph Clark, Sergeant, Company H.  
W. Kelly, Private, Company H.  
P. Daily, Private, Company I.  
Jacob Muller, Private, Company K.  
Martin Becker, Private, Company K.  
Albert Bayer, Drummer.

Among the forty-seven wounded were the following commissioned officers:

Captain John M. Santmeyer, Company H.  
Captain James D. Spangler, Company A.  
Lieutenant Thomas L. Matthews, Company A.  
Lieutenant William McLoughlin, Company D.

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## LECOMPTE FAMILY.

FRANCIS B. CULVER.

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1. ANTHONY Lecompte<sup>1</sup> was born in Picardy, France, and died during the autumn of 1673, in Dorchester County, Maryland. In 1655-6, he appears in the province of Maryland, as the following entry among the land records attests: "I Antoine Lecompte do give all my right and title to Ishmael Wright and my man's Henry Mites right and title which is the 200 acres due to me. As witness my hand, 7th February, 1655."

(Signed) ANTHOINE LE COMPT.

(L. O., Q. 440.441).

In 1658-9, Anthony Lecompte appears as patentee of a free-hold in Calvert County, known as "Compton," and containing 75 acres, originally surveyed 8 August, 1651, for Ishmael Wright, on the North side of the Patuxent River (Calvert County Rent Rolls). Ishmael Wright acquired title to "Compton" in consideration of the transporting of himself and Anne his wife, into the Province, and assigned the same to Antoine Lecompte, 11 February, 1658 (L. O., Q. 401).

Under an entry of 12 March 1658, one Arthur Wright demands land for transporting Katharine his wife, William Squire, Thomas Middleton, Elizabeth Holston: and Thomas Raymond, Barbara Crouch, Thomas Jones, transported by Antoine Lecompte. Warrant then issued to lay out for Arthur Wright and Anthoine Le Compt 700 acres upon "the Eastern Shore" (L. O., Q. 440. 441).

"Whereas, on the 12 March 1658, warrant issued for 700 acres of land upon the Eastern Shore to Anth<sup>o</sup>. Lecompte and Arthur Wright, ret. 29 September foll.— which said warrant being given up, the said Anthony Lecompte hath taken new warrant in his own name. Warrant *inde* for 700 acres on the Eastern Shore, return 25 December next, to the said Anthony LeCompt." (*ib.* iv. 61).

On 13 August 1659, there was laid out for Anthony Le

Compte of this Province, planter, a parcel of land called "St. Anthoine" (or "Antonine"), lying on the East side of the Chesapeake Bay, and on the South side of the Choptank River, in Horne's Bay, containing 800 acres (L. O., iv. 244: Dorchester County Rent Rolls).

The aforesaid tract was acquired by Anthony LeCompte, 17 January 1659, "in consideration that Anthony LeCompte hath transported Thomas Raymond, Barbara Crouch, and Thomas Jones into this Province: and hath further due to him by assignment of Mary Guilford the land (200 acres) due to her for transporting herself and Barnes Johnson; and also, by the assignment of Emperour Smith, the land due to him for transporting himself, Robert Bailey and William Major. Granted unto said Anthony LeCompte the land called "St. Anthony," on the East side of Chesapeake Bay, and the South side of the Choptank River, in Horne Bay, 800 acres." (L. O., iv, 181-378).

Shortly after this, Anthony LeCompte returned to France, where he met his future wife, took her over to London to be married, and then returned to Maryland. On 2 March, 1662/3, "came Antonio LeCompte and enters four rights, viz<sup>t</sup>, for his wife Easter, John Goteer, Andrew Gundry and Ambrose, for which he demands warrant," which was accordingly issued for 200 acres, of date 21 February, 1662 (L. O., v. 243). On 22 Feby. 1664, a "Patent of Denization" was granted to Antoine LeCompte, his wife and children (Md. Arch. iii, 513).

On 18 March 1662, we find the following entry: "I Andrew Skinner of this Province, do alienate, etc. unto Mounsier Anthony Compt, land called "Compton," in Dividing Creek, on the north side of the Choptank River." This tract consisted of 100 acres, in Talbot county, and was originally laid out for Andrew Skinner (by assignment from James Smith). On 26 April 1663, Anthony LeCompte assigned his rights to John Edmondson, who assigned the same to James Elvard, merchant (L. O., vii, 120, 125).

In the Proceedings of the Maryland Assembly held at Patuxent, 24 September, 1657, among the "severall charges to be Satisfied by way of Levie out of the County of Patuxent," we find a bill allowed to Anthony LeCompte

for killing three wolves, amounting to 300 lbs. of tobacco (Md. Arch. I, 365).

In the Proceedings of April-May, 1669, out of the assessments of the Province charged to the several counties, there were due to Anthony LeCompte, as of Talbot county, 2022 lbs. of tobacco (*ib.* II, 231).

On 6 May, 1669, Anthony LeCompte was appointed a Justice of Dorchester County, which office he held until 1671 (Md. Arch. v, 52-53: Liber C-D, 431).

The will of Anthony LeCompte, of Dorchester County, Maryland, was made 9 September 1673, and filed 25 October 1673 (Annapolis, Wills I, 562). He leaves to his eldest son, John Le Compte, all his "land on the other side of the creek, south from my house, with 50 acres I bought of Wm. Willoughby": all the remainder of his lands, equally, to his sons Moses, Philip and Anthony LeCompte: to his eldest daughter Hester Le Compte, 8 cows: to Nicholas Trippe, one cow: and appoints his wife Hester Le Compte sole executrix. The will was witnessed by Jacob Seth, Jno. Snookes and Margaret Bryant.

Anthony Le Compte married 11 July 1661, in London, England, Esther Dottando (or, Dotlando). She was a native of Dieppe, in Normandy, France. The marriage record is given in the register of St. Helen's, Bishopsgate, London, as follows: "Anthony LeCompte of the parishe of Macke neere Callis in France & Esther Dottando of Deepe in France weare mar'ed," 11 July, 1661.

A few months after Anthony LeCompte's decease, his widow Esther, married (1674), "Monsieur" Mark Cordea, formerly of St. John's, in St. Mary's County, an innholder and merchant, and owner of "St. Elizabeth's Manor," which he purchased from John Nuthall, Jr., of St. Mary's County, gentleman (Annapolis, Chancery Records C D, I, 273).

In Bacon's Laws of Maryland (1674), chapter XII, (original Libers: C & WH, 240: WH, 123: WH & L, 86), appears the petition for naturalization on the part of Hester Cordea, *et al.*, as follows: "Petition of . . . Hester Cordea [born] at Deepe in Normandy, John Le Count, Mosses Lecount, Phillip Lacount, Anthony Lacount, all the sonns of Anthony Lacount borne at Picardie in the Kingdom of France; Hester Lacount, Katherine Lacount, daughters to the said Anthony Lacount, and both sonns and

daughters borne within Your Lordships Province of Maryland . . . for divers years therein Inhabitants being invited to come and dwell within this Province by and upon confidence of Your Lordships declaration of the second of July 1649," etc. They were naturalized under the Act passed 6 June 1674.

On 17 July 1680, there was issued a subpoena to Mark Cordea and Hester his wife, executrix of the last will and testament of Anthony LeCompte, deceased, to answer the bill of complaint of Henry Fox and Hester his wife, one of the daughters of the said Anthony (Annapolis, Chancery Records CD. 273). Committees from the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly met occasionally at Mark Cordea's house (Md. Arch. vii: XIII).

Anthony and Hester LeCompte had issue: \*

2. i. JOHN,<sup>2</sup> b. 1662: d. *circa* 1705.
  3. ii. MOSES, d. 1720.
  - iii. Philip, d. unmarried (a minor).
  4. iv. ANTHONY, d. *circa* 1705.
    - v. Esther, m. (1) Henry Fox, of Talbot Co.: (2) Wm. Skinner, Jr.
    - vi. Katharine, m. (1) James Cullins: (2) Thomas Bruff.
2. JOHN LECOMPTE<sup>2</sup> (Anthony<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1662, in Maryland, and died 1704/5, in Dorchester county. His will was made 4 November 1704, and proved 6 June 1705 (Annapolis Wills III. 455).

He bequeathed to his son William, "Linkwoods" (250 acres), at the head of Transquaking, formerly belonging to Dr. Robert Winsmore: to son Philemon, "LeCompte's Adventure," at the head of Ingram's Creek: to sons Anthony and John (equally), part of 200 acres (unnamed) on the south side of Ingram's Creek, it having been jointly taken up with John Brannock: to sons James and Robert Winsmore LeCompte, residue of the tract last referred to, and lying on the north side of Ingram's Creek: to daughter Ann, all land taken up by testator jointly with John Brannock and Andrew Skinner, between the branch of Cabin Creek and the northwest fork of Nanticoke River: to son John (aforesaid) also "John's Good Luck" (50 acres), "LeCompte's Delight" (50 acres) and "Indian Ridge"

\* The source of a good deal of the following data relating to the LeCompte family of Maryland is an old manuscript record, said to have been compiled in 1819, but the writer of this sketch can not vouch for its accuracy, except in so far as he has been able to verify the same from authoritative sources (F. B. C.).

(87 acres): to wife Ann (executrix), the dwelling plantation during life, the same to revert to son Anthony. All the children to be of age at 18 years. The witnesses under the will were Jane Kemp: Margaret Nowell and John Rawlings.

In the Annapolis Chancery Records there is an entry of the suit of one Thomas McKeele, lessee of William Warner, against John LeCompte, which suit was entered by the Court, 22 February, 1704/5, as "abated by the defendant's death" (Lib. PC. 516).

John LeCompte married Ann Winsmore, daughter of Dr. Robert Winsmore, and had issue:

5. i. JOHN,<sup>s</sup> b. 1686: d. 1754.
  6. ii. WILLIAM, d. 1749.
  7. iii. PHILEMON, b. 1690.
  8. iv. JAMES.
    - v. Robert Winsmore.
    - vi. Anne.
    - vii. Anthony.
3. MOSES LECOMPTE<sup>2</sup> (Anthony<sup>1</sup>) was born in Maryland and died in 1720, in Dorchester County. According to a family record compiled in 1819, Moses LeCompte became partially blind at 18 or 19 years of age, and altogether so at 22 or 23, although he was sent to England for treatment of his affliction. Blindness appeared in several later generations of this branch of the family.

The will of Moses LeCompte was made 1 January 1717, and proved 15 March 1720/1. He bequeathed to his sons Philip, Thomas and Samuel LeCompte, "all my lands I now live on, but if it please God any more of my children should lose their sight except my sons Moses LeCompte and Peter LeCompte, that my said children so losing their sight should be equal partners in my said lands with my aforesaid three sons": he gave to "my said children one small tract called "Padan-Aram," except my sons Moses LeCompte and Peter LeCompte," and to the last named "the said land lying in Little Choptank": he mentions his three daughters Esther LeCompte, Mary LeCompte and Elizabeth LeCompte. The witnesses under the will were John LeCompte, Joseph LeCompte, Elizabeth Bonner and Rachel Bonner (Annapolis Wills, xvi. 365). The administration accounts of the estate mention the wife Mary, with three sons Philip, Samuel and Joseph, as the executors (Annapolis Accounts iv. 70: v. 18. 286).

Moses LeCompte married Mary Skinner (b. 1667) daughter of "old" (Thomas?) "Skinner of England," (according to family record of 1819). A deposition of Mary LeCompte in 1741 gives her age as "about 74 years" (Dor. Court Records xiv. 200).

Moses and Mary (Skinner) LeCompte had issue:

- i. Philip,<sup>3</sup> died 1734 unmarried: said to have been "blind."
  9. ii. MOSES, said to have been "blind."
  - iii. Thomas, died unmarried: said to have been "blind."
  10. iv. PETER.
  - v. Samuel, died 1775 unmarried: said to have been "blind."
  11. vi. JOSEPH, said to have been "blind."
  12. vii. ANTHONY.
  13. viii. WILLIAM, said to have been "blind."
  - ix. Esther, died unmarried: said to have been "blind."
  - x. Mary ("blind") m. Arthur Rigby, of Talbot County, Md.
  - xi. Elizabeth ("blind") m. James Sewers, of Philadelphia, Pa.
4. ANTHONY LECOMPTE<sup>2</sup> (Anthony<sup>1</sup>) was born in Maryland and died in 1705, in Dorchester County. The will of Anthony LeCompte was made 20 January 1704 and proved 6 June 1705 (Annapolis Wills, III. 456).
- He left to his sons Nehemiah and Anthony Le Compte, jointly, the tract called "St. Anthony's," which was bequeathed to the testator by his father: to his eldest son Nehemiah, 25 acres of land "at the Island": to his son Anthony, "Bluestone Branch" on the western shore, called the "Halfway House." The sons to be of age at 18 years. To his wife Margaret (executrix) he bequeathed all personalty. The witnesses under the will were Henry Beckwith, Magdalen Wardner and Mary Wardner (Baldwin's Cal. of Md. Wills, III. 51).
- Anthony LeCompte married Margaret Beckwith, and had issue:

14. i. NEHEMIAH,<sup>3</sup> b. 1698.
  - ii. Anthony (no issue).
  - iii. Margaret.
5. JOHN LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1686 and died in 1754, in Dorchester County, Maryland. In a deposition dated 15 December, 1741, his age is given as 55 years (Dor. Co. Court Records, xiv. 200).
- The will of John LeCompte was made 17 Jan'y. 1754, and proved 15 March 1754 (Annapolis Wills, xxix. 76). To his wife Blanche Le Compte he bequeathed "St. Anthony," "Purkerdy" (Picardy), "Chance," "Roxall"

and "LeCompte's Pasture"; and one shilling to each of his following eight children—John, Charles, Anthony and Philemon LeCompte, Blanche LeCompte, Mary Woolford, Esther Cullens, and Clare Fowler (the last mentioned also received four negroes). His sons were named as the executors.

John LeCompte married Blanche Powell (d. 1769) and had issue:

15. i. JOHN.<sup>4</sup>
  - ii. Charles, m. Sarah Hirth (?), of Talbot County.
- 15<sup>a</sup>. iii. ANTHONY, m. Mary Sewell.
  - iv. Philemon, m. — Hatfield.
16. v. WILLIAM.
  - vi. Sarah.
  - vii. Mary, m. — Woolford(?).
  - viii. Clare, m. — Fowler.
  - ix. Esther, m. — Cullins.
  - x. Blanche, m. Anthony LeCompte<sup>3</sup> (Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>).
  - xi. Elizabeth, m. — Vickers.

6. WILLIAM LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) died in 1749 in Dorchester county, Maryland. His will was made 18 May 1749, and proved 8 July 1749 (Annapolis Wills, xxvii. 8).

He bequeathed to his sons Philemon and John LeCompte, the dwelling plantation and an equal division of the "land I have at the head of Transquaking"; to son William LeCompte land in the northwest fork of Nanticoke River, called "Poole's Outlet" (130 acres): he makes a bequest to his daughter Sarah, "in case she should come back," and mentions his daughter Anne Baynam and his son Levin LeCompte.

William LeCompte married ——— Smoot, and had issue:

- i. Philemon.<sup>4</sup>
- ii. John.
- iii. William.
- iv. Sarah.
- v. Anne, m. — Bayman.
- vi. Levin.

7. PHILEMON LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1690, according to a deposition made in 1730, when his age is given as 40 years (Chancery Records I R, No. 1, 314), and died in 1769. His will was proved 28 August, 1769 (Annapolis Wills, xxxvii. 401).

Philemon LeCompte married Mary Seward (d. 1769) and had issue:

- i. William.<sup>4</sup>
- ii. James.
- iii. John, d. 1768: m. Mary —, and had one daughter, Elizabeth.
- iv. Abner, d. 1771.
- v. Esther, m. (cousin) William LeCompte<sup>4</sup> (John,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>).
- vi. Charles (of "Oyster Shell Point"), d. 26 March 1809, aged 64 years: his wife's name was Drusilla.
- vii. Mary, married — Dawson.
- viii. Ann, married (1) — Phillips: m. (2) Owens: m. (3) — Cook.

8. JAMES LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) was the ancestor of the Le Comptes of Caroline County, Md. He married — Mallet, and had issue:

- i. James.<sup>4</sup>
- ii. Philemon.
- iii. Anthony.
- iv. Charles.
- v. Nathan.

9. MOSES LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup> joins in a deed, dated 11 Aug. 1731, with Levinia his wife, conveying to "our loving son Matthew Driver," one half of the "Grove," on James Island (Dorch. Co. Deeds, VIII. 429). He also made a deed of gift, bearing date 8 March 1768, for "natural love and affection which I have and do bear to my three grandsons Levin Cator, William Geoghegan and Moses Geoghegan," as follows: "unto my grandson Levin Cator, one half of the whole survey of "Le Compte's Addition" (34½ acres) on James Island, in Dorchester County: unto my two grandsons William and Moses Geoghegan the easternmost half of "Le Compte's Addition," equally, and my part of "Grove," (75 acres) lying on James Island, in Dorchester County." He also refers to his daughter Levinia Geoghegan (Dorch. Co. Land Records, XXII. 222). He married Levinia Pattison, daughter of Thomas Pattison (and widow of Matthew Driver, of James Island), and had issue:

- 17. i. MOSES.<sup>4</sup>
- ii. Levinia, m. William Geoghegan, of Dublin.
- iii. Esther, m. Matthew Skinner.
- iv. Mary, m. (1) *ante* 1744 Edward Cator: (2) Marmaduke Dove: (3) — Davey.

10. PETER LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married — Brannock, and had issue:

- i. Thomas, prob. died at sea.
- ii. Samuel, prob. died at sea.
- iii. Peter.

- iv. Joseph, m. Elizabeth Sewers: from whom among others were Samuel LeCompte, of Tuckahoe Neck; Joseph LeCompte, of Castle Haven, who married Delilah Thomas (née Barnett) and had Esther Ann, who married Robert Taylor, of Balto.
11. JOSEPH LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) d. 1776; he married the widow Shannon, and had issue:
18. i. SAMUEL.<sup>4</sup>
  - ii. Nicholas, unmarried.
  - iii. Joseph.
  - iv. A daughter, married John Parker.
12. ANTHONY LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married (1) *ante* Nov. 1744, Catharine, widow of William Bennett, of Talbot county: m. (2) Blanche Le Compte<sup>4</sup> (John,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) and had issue:
- By first wife:
- i. Elizabeth.<sup>4</sup>
  - ii. Catharine.
  - iii. Mary.
  - iv. Esther.
- By second wife:
- v. Sarah.
  - vi. Dolly.
13. WILLIAM LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married the widow Martin, of Talbot county, and had issue:
- i. Philip,<sup>4</sup> unmarried: d. *circa* 1846, in New Castle County, Delaware.
  19. ii. MOSES.
  - iii. Thomas, unmarried.
  - iv. Daniel, unmarried.
  20. v. ISAIAH.
  - vi. Mary, married Thomas Wingate.
  - vii. Nancy, married Levin Wingate.
14. NEHEMIAH LECOMPTE<sup>3</sup> (Anthony,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1698, according to a deposition made in 1720, which gives his age as 22 years (Chancery Records, PC. 602).  
Nehemiah LeCompte married Clare Poole, and had issue:
- i. Anthony,<sup>4</sup> married Sarah Skinner.
  - ii. Nehemiah.
  - iii. John.
  - iv. Margaret.
  - v. Mary.
  - vi. Elizabeth.
  - vii. Esther.
15. JOHN LECOMPTE<sup>4</sup> (John,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married Sarah Peterkin, and had issue:

- i. John.<sup>5</sup>
- ii. Charles.
- iii. James.

15<sup>a</sup>. ANTHONY LECOMPTE <sup>4</sup> (John,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony <sup>1</sup>) married Mary Sewell and had issue:

- i. Fannie,<sup>5</sup> m. (1) — Griffin (*s. p.*): (2) John Radcliffe (*issue*): (3) — Leonard (*s. p.*).
- ii. Katharine, d. 10 Oct. 1803, unmarried.

16. WILLIAM LECOMPTE <sup>4</sup> (John,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony <sup>1</sup>) married (1) Linah Byus: m. (2) Esther LeCompte <sup>4</sup> (Philemon,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony <sup>1</sup>), and had issue:

By first wife:

- i. William.<sup>5</sup>
- ii. Philemon.
- iii. John.
- iv. Sarah, m. Stephen LeCompte, of Chicacomico.
- v. Rebecca, m. Levin LeCompte, of Chicacomico.

By second wife:

- vi. Charles.
- vii. Caleb.

17. MOSES LECOMPTE <sup>4</sup> (Moses,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony <sup>1</sup>) died in 1776, in Dorchester County, Maryland. The administration bond for the estate of Moses LeCompte, deceased, was filed 20 February 1776, by Moses LeCompte, Jr., administrator, with Joseph Robson and Henry Keene, as sureties (Annapolis, Testa. Proc. XLVII. 31). The inventory was appraised 29 April 1776 by Thomas Creaton (Creighton) and Henry Travers, in the sum of £710.4.2 (Annapolis, Inventories, CXXV. 116).

Moses LeCompte married Nancy Pattison, and had issue:

- 21. i. MOSES,<sup>5</sup> b. 1748 (or 1752).
- ii. Nancy, m. 1759, Jeremiah Pattison.
- iii. Esther.
- iv. Rosamond.
- v. Elizabeth, b. 1761: d. 1803.

18. SAMUEL LECOMPTE <sup>4</sup> (Joseph,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony <sup>1</sup>) married Rachel Watts and had issue:

- i. Edmond.<sup>5</sup>
- ii. Samuel.

19. MOSES LECOMPTE <sup>4</sup> (William,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony <sup>1</sup>) married ——— Wheeler and had issue:

- i. Moses.<sup>5</sup>
- ii. Hugh.
- iii. Mary.
- iv. Mahala.

20. ISAIAH LECOMPTE <sup>4</sup> (William,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony <sup>1</sup>) married Sarah Geoghegan (of John) and had issue:

- 22. i. WILLIAM G.<sup>5</sup>
- 23. ii. SAMUEL.
- iii. Isaiah ("never married—poor soul"!)

21. MOSES LECOMPTE <sup>5</sup> (Moses,<sup>4</sup> Moses,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony <sup>1</sup>) was born in 1748, or 1752 (the authorities differ), and died 23 October 1801, on Taylor's Island, Dorchester county.

On 12 February 1776, a commission was issued to Moses LeCompte, Jr., as First Lieutenant of Captain Joseph Robson's Company of Minute-men, in Dorchester county. He succeeded Henry Keene, who had resigned (Md. Arch. xi. 153). On 24 May 1776, he was First Lieutenant in Captain Denwood Hick's Company of Dorchester County militia, but was recommissioned as First Lieutenant of Captain Joseph Robson's Company (*ib.* 441). He later became Lieutenant Colonel Commandant of the Dorchester county militia in the re-organization of the State forces following the Revolutionary War.

Moses LeCompte married twice. His first wife was Nancy Edmondson, who died prior to 1787. His second wife was Elizabeth Woodward (1763-1803).

There is on record in the Dorchester County Court, a bill of sale deed, bearing date 15 September 1787, from Moses LeCompte and Elizabeth his wife, of Dorchester County, to Benjamin Keene, Jr.; William Geoghegan; Thomas Hooper; John Aschcom Travers; Peter Harrington; John Aaron; John Geoghegan; John Robson and Isaac Creighton, trustees appointed "to take care and management of a chapel lately built on Taylor's Island for the use of ministers of the M. E. Church" (Lib. NH No. 9, 411).

Issue by first wife:

- i. Nancy,<sup>6</sup> m. Colonel Moses Keene.

Issue by second wife:

- 24. ii. BENJAMIN WOODWARD, b. 1787.
- iii. Samuel W., d. 1861/2: midshipman, War of 1812: Lieut. Com.

- U. S. N.: m. Mary Eccleston, daughter of Washington Eccleston.
- iv. Elizabeth, m. James Pattison.
  - v. Emily W., m. James Bryan, son of Charles Bryan, of Cambridge.
  - vi. Margaret.
22. WILLIAM G. LECOMPTE<sup>5</sup> (Isaiah,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married Mary A. Eaton, of Talbot County, Md., and had issue:
25. i. THOMAS.<sup>6</sup>
  26. ii. WILLIAM G.
  - iii. Mamie, m. Henry Hooper.
  - iv. Sarah, m. Thomas Hubbard.
  - v. Mary Matilda, m. Samuel Brattan.
  - vi. Annie Maria, m. John A. Applegarthe.
  - vii. Rebecca, m. Stephen LeCompte.
  - viii. Araminta, m. William Mitchell.
23. SAMUEL LECOMPTE<sup>5</sup> (Isaiah,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married Mary Simmons and had issue:
27. i. PHILIP ISAIAH.<sup>6</sup>
24. BENJAMIN WOODWARD LECOMPTE<sup>6</sup> (Moses,<sup>5</sup> Moses,<sup>4</sup> Moses,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1787, and died 20 November 1821. He married Mary E. Hooper (1786-1822), and had issue:
- i. Mary E. LeCompte,<sup>7</sup> m. John P. Hooper.
  - ii. James Laird, d. 1853: m. Ann Werkmiller, of Norfolk, Va.
  - iii. Gaston Cleves, b. 1815: d. 1878: m. Mary Hartshorn, daughter of Sylvanna Hartshorn, of Norfolk, Va.
  - iv. Emily Ann.
  - v. Benjamin Hooper.
25. THOMAS LECOMPTE<sup>6</sup> (William G.,<sup>5</sup> Isaiah,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married Margaret Cook, and had issue:
- i. Thomas.<sup>7</sup>
  - ii. Daniel H.
  - iii. Samuel.
  - iv. Mary.
  - v. Margaret.
26. WILLIAM G. LECOMPTE<sup>6</sup> (William G.,<sup>5</sup> Isaiah,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married Nannie Stewart, and had issue:
- i. William.<sup>7</sup>
  - ii. George.
  - iii. Mamie.
  - iv. Annie.

27. PHILIP ISAAH LECOMPTE <sup>6</sup> (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Isaiah,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Moses,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married Susan Hubbard, and had issue:

- i. John.<sup>7</sup>
- ii. Samuel.
- iii. Philip.
- iv. Mary.
- v. Blanche.
- vi. Eva.
- vii. Lena.
- viii. Susan.
- ix. Daisy.
- x. Lulu.

#### LECOMPTE NOTES

*Samuel LeCompte*, called "the surveyor," said to have been a grandson of James <sup>3</sup> (John,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>) married (1) ——— Price, and had issue *Edward P. LeCompte* (d. 1843) who married 1829 Emily White, of Cambridge, and had issue *Edward W. LeCompte* who married 1853 Elizabeth Wall.

*Samuel LeCompte*, called "the Surveyor," married (2) Araminta Smoot (née Frazier) and had issue *Samuel Dexter LeCompte*, *Henrietta Maria LeCompte*, *Araminta Sarah LeCompte*, and *Margaret Elizabeth LeCompte*.

*Samuel Dexter LeCompte* (*Samuel*) removed to the territory of Kansas, was appointed Chief Justice in 1854, and there died. He married Camilla Anderson, of Todd's Point, Dorchester County, and had issue: *Samuel Edward LeCompte*, *Eugene Dexter LeCompte*, *Edward Palmer LeCompte*, *Alice Emily LeCompte*, *Camilla A. LeCompte*, and *James Trippe LeCompte*. *Henrietta Maria LeCompte* (*Samuel*) married 1837 Joseph R. Eccleston. They removed to Keokuk, Iowa, in 1852, and both died in 1853, leaving issue.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE SOCIETY.

## MONTHLY MEETINGS.

*Meeting of October 9th, 1916.\**—The regular monthly meeting of the Society was called to order at 8.30 o'clock. Vice-President Harris, in taking the chair, expressed his regrets that President Warfield had been prevented by trouble with one of his eyes from being present at the meeting that evening.

The following Necrology was read by the Recording Secretary:—

Died on October 10, 1915, Mr. William B. Graves, who was elected to active membership, December 13, 1909.

On May 21, 1916, Mr. Clayton C. Hall, who was elected to active membership on February 9, 1880.

On June 20, 1916, Mr. Jordan Stabler, who was elected to active membership on March 14, 1910.

On July 9, 1916, Mr. Gaun M. Hutton, who was elected to active membership on December 8, 1890.

On July 10, 1916, Mr. William Fell Johnson, who was elected to active membership on February 10, 1902.

On September 2, 1916, Mr. David Abercrombie, who was elected to active membership on February 10, 1908.

On September 4, 1916, Mr. Raphael T. Semmes, who was elected to associate membership on April 9, 1906.

On September 30, 1916, Col. John A. Tompkins, who was elected to active membership on May 14, 1883.

Under the head of miscellaneous business, Mrs. Wm. Reed, President of the Maryland Society of Colonial Dames, spoke as follows:

“It is with great pleasure that the Maryland Society of the Colonial Dames of America will have the privilege this evening

\* Inadvertently omitted from the December number of the *Magazine*.

of presenting to the Maryland Historical Society a valuable old coin, which has come into our possession, through the courtesy of Judge Henry Stockbridge. This copper six pence "trial piece" is said to be very rare, and we have requested Mr. Louis H. Dielman, to make the presentation in the name of the Society. Mr. Dielman needs no introduction to the Maryland Historical Society."

In formally presenting the coin on behalf of the Colonial Dames, Mr. Dielman made a statement concerning the colonial coinage of Lord Baltimore and the varieties known to be in existence.

In moving a vote of thanks to the Maryland Society of Colonial Dames for the beautiful and valuable coin presented to the Society, Judge Stockbridge gave a most interesting account of various aspects of Maryland Colonial Coinage, calling special attention to the beauty, value and rareness of the coin which the Maryland Society of Colonial Dames was presenting to the Historical Society.

While still under the head of miscellaneous business, Mr. Douglas H. Thomas took the floor and stated that it gave him great pleasure indeed to make an announcement to the Society. Mr. Thomas said that several months ago Mrs. Mary Washington Keyser had spoken to him about her desire to erect a memorial to her late husband, Mr. H. Irvine Keyser. After careful consideration of the matter she came to the conclusion that she desired to offer a home to the Maryland Historical Society. Judge Stockbridge was called into consultation and various plans for the purchase and improvement of the property at the south-west corner of Park Avenue and Monument Street were considered. Mr. Thomas then read the letters from Mrs. Keyser, printed in full in the December issue of the *Magazine*.

Judge Stockbridge spoke as follows:

"Mr. President:

"For a number of years this Society has been longing and hoping for a new home. The means available for procuring

it have seemed to be beyond our reach. During the lifetime of our late President, Mr. Cohen, the location at the southwest corner of Monument Street and Park Avenue was considered and felt to be a most desirable one; but the cost of that lot, together with the cost of the erection of a suitable building on it for housing the priceless collections of this Society, has seemed to place it beyond the possibility of our grasp.

“By the munificent offer which has just been tendered to this Society by Mrs. Keyser, through Mr. Thomas, that which has hitherto seemed scarcely more than a dream is now virtually placed at our disposal. I am sure that I but voice the sentiment of every member present when I say that this Society entertains a deep feeling of gratitude to Mrs. Keyser and that it will be the pleasure of this organization to do everything which lies in its power to bring to full fruition the desires in every respect of the generous donor.

“There was one condition attached to Mrs. Keyser’s tender which Mr. Thomas overlooked in the announcement which he has just made, namely, that no encumbrance or lien should ever be placed upon the property, and this is a condition so reasonable and moderate that I am sure it will readily be acceded by all. There is another condition, not imposed by Mrs. Keyser through feelings of delicacy, but which it seems to me this Society should none the less regard as a condition of the gift, and that is, that there should be raised a permanent endowment fund sufficient that the income of it should be adequate to care for the ordinary maintenance expense of the building placed and to be placed upon this lot, less than this it seems we should not do, and that a failure to do it would evince a lack of appreciation of the gift now made. To that end I desire to offer certain resolutions, the second and third of which will of course be dependent upon the adoption of the first.”

[Printed in full in *December Magazine*.]

Vice-President Harris voiced the feeling of surprise and very great happiness with which the Society received notice of this most helpful and munificent gift and expressed his regrets that

President Warfield had been prevented from being present upon such a happy and epoch-making occasion in the history of the Society.

An interesting paper was read by Dr. Bernard C. Steiner entitled, "A New Englander's Southern Trip in 1833; Henry Barnard's First Experience with the South." This paper gave a delightful account of certain aspects of life in the South before the War. At the conclusion of Dr. Steiner's address, upon motion of Major Pegram, a vote of thanks was extended to Dr. Steiner.

There being no further business before the Society, the meeting adjourned at 10.30 o'clock.

*Meeting of December 11, 1916.*—The regular monthly meeting of the Society was called to order at 8.30 p. m. with President Warfield in the chair.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved with corrections.

The election of new members resulted as follows:

- Dr. Ronald T. Abercrombie—Active
- Mr. Alfred C. P. A. Atkinson—Active
- Dr. W. H. H. Bixler—Active
- Hon. Carroll T. Bond—Active
- Mr. William J. Donnelly—Active
- Hon. Henry Duffy—Active
- Mr. John W. Frick—Active
- Mr. Carter H. George—Active
- Dr. Charles S. Grindall—Active
- Mrs. Charles Frederic Habighurst—Active
- Miss Elizabeth Gray Howard—Life
- Mr. B. F. Johnson—Associate
- Mr. J. Hemsley Johnson—Active
- Mr. John L. G. Lee—Active
- Mr. Robert Oliver Lehr—Active
- Mr. Thomas Mackenzie—Active
- Mr. Charles C. McColgan—Active
- Mrs. Elizabeth Morrison McElroy—Active

Mr. Charles D. Nicolai—Active  
Mr. John Parker—Active  
Mrs. William S. Powell—Active  
Mr. John L. Sanford—Active  
Mrs. Chester B. Turnbull—Active  
Mr. Raymond S. Williams—Active

Under the head of necrology, the Recording Secretary reported the death of John J. Donaldson, on November 19th, 1916, Richard Bernard on November 21, 1916, Edwin Schenck, Sr., on November 18th, 1916, Alfred Z. Hartman on December 1st, 1916 and Henry C. Matthews on December 6th, 1916. President Warfield dwelt upon his long and intimate association with Mr. Donaldson and referred to his unusual qualities of force and culture.

General Trippe on behalf of the Committee appointed to secure a roster of the Maryland soldiers at the Battle of Long Island, reported that he had the roster of four companies but that the roster of Captain Veasey's Company is still missing. He referred to the fact that out of 400 soldiers who were in that battle, 276 were killed in it.

Mr. Dielman stated that Dr. J. Hall Pleasants was very anxious to see that the second volume of the Early Court Proceedings of Baltimore County was indexed, and that if the Society would request the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City to turn over temporarily the records to the Society to be copied, Dr. Pleasants would see that none of the involved expense would fall on the Society. Judge Dawkins and Mr. Leigh Bonsal discussed the proposition somewhat at length.

The following resolution was adopted:

“Resolved that the Secretary be requested to write to the Supreme Bench of the City of Baltimore, asking for the temporary deposit of the first Court record with the Society for the purpose of indexing. The record to be returned to the Court immediately on the completion of the index.”

Mr. Leigh Bonsal called the attention of the Society to the Marriage Licenses of Baltimore from 1777-1851. He stated

that it would be a valuable acquisition to the library if they were indexed and a copy of the index placed here. He understood that Mr. Little was going to make an index of them and suggested that we make an effort to obtain a copy. Mr. Bonsal was appointed to take up the matter with Mr. Little and report at the next meeting.

Mr. Dielman called attention to four interesting and valuable acquisitions to the collections of the Society. They were as follows:

1. Photograph from a painting of Augustin Herman.
2. Photograph of the first fire engine at Annapolis.
3. Ballot cast for Abraham Lincoln in 1864 by a soldier, being probably the only ballot in existence which was cast and counted in that Presidential campaign.
4. Civil War Scrap Book made by the late Lennox Birkhead.

The following motion was made by Mr. Duvall:

“Resolved, that the Resolutions passed and adopted by The Maryland Historical Society, at its meeting on the 14th day of April, 1913, for the removal of the home of the Society to another location, and the appointment of a Committee to devise ways and means and adopt plans to increase the endowment fund of the Society, and to secure funds to purchase or acquire a site and improve the same, and to purchase or acquire such a site and improve the same, and to join with the Trustees of the Athenaeum in selling and conveying the lot of ground and building now occupied and used by the Society at St. Paul and Saratoga Streets, and with power to appoint sub-committees and to do all other acts necessary in the premises; and all and every part of the said Resolutions, be and they are hereby rescinded and annulled.”

Mr. Howard in seconding the motion expressed the view that the activity of the Committee for Endowment purposes had stimulated interest generally in the condition of the Society. The motion was passed unanimously.

The following motion by Judge Dawkins, seconded by Mr. Duvall was passed:

“Resolved, that Messrs. Francis B. Culver, William H. Lytle and Edward Ingle be and they are hereby elected a committee to suggest names of officers and members of the various committees to be submitted for nomination at the regular monthly meeting of the Society on the evening of January 8th, 1917.”

The Society then had the pleasure of listening to a very interesting paper by John E. Semmes on the life of John H. B. Latrobe. Mr. Semmes read extensively from Mr. Latrobe's Journal and from his own biography in reference to Mr. Latrobe's activity in the Maryland Colonization Society and the American Colonization Society of which Mr. Latrobe was president some thirty years ago. Upon the conclusion of this most interesting paper, which is one of a series which Mr. Semmes is reading to the Society from the Biography of Mr. Latrobe, General Trippe moved that a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. Semmes for the pleasure which he had afforded the Society.

There being no further business before the Society, the meeting adjourned at ten-thirty o'clock.

*Meeting of January 8th, 1917.*—The regular monthly meeting of the Society was called to order by President Warfield at 8.15 o'clock.

The following active members were elected:

Mr. J. Mercer Garnett	Mr. Rush W. Davidge Smith
Mr. Charles M. Keyser	Mr. W. Irvine Keyser
Miss E. G. McIlvane	Mr. Washington Perine
Mrs. Rebecca H. Kilpatrick	Mr. Foster Steuart
Dr. Paul Eaton	Miss Mary Hollingsworth Keene
Mr. Harry Roberts, Jr.	Mr. William H. Price, Jr.
Mr. John Henry Sellman	Miss Elizabeth W. Greenway

The following letter from Mr. Bonsal was read:

“ Baltimore, Dec. 13, 1916.

“ Dear Governor Warfield:

“ I am writing a short note to let you know what I have done in regard to getting the Clerk of the Superior Court to make new indexes for the old marriage records in the Supreme Court from 1775 to 1851.

“ I first wrote to Mr. Stephen C. Little, stating of what great value the marriage records would be if arranged alphabetically and according to the vowel system, and they should be indexed also under the name of the woman as well as the man, and expressed the hope that when the work was done that a carbon copy could be had for the Maryland Historical Society. I have, today, had a talk with Mr. Little and I was very much pleased with his attitude, and he indicated that he thought that he would be able to do the work as desired; that he would not be able to take the matter up finally until after January 1st, but would talk with me again at that time.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) LEIGH BONSAI.”

Upon motion of Mr. Bonsal, the Society voted its thanks to Mr. Little for the interest which he had taken in the matter. Mr. Bonsal made a further motion that a committee of five be appointed by the President to see Comptroller Mullen and to request him to authorize the copying of the records under consideration. The motion was duly passed, whereupon President Warfield appointed the following as the committee: Leigh Bonsal, Chairman, Joseph Y. Brattan, Judge Walter I. Dawkins, Richard M. Duvall, Ruxton M. Ridgely.

Under the head of necrology, Recording Secretary Radcliffe referred to the death of Mr. Moses R. Walter, on December 28th, 1916. Mr. Walter had become a member of the Society on May 4th, 1883, on the nomination of the late Mendes Cohen. At the time of his death, Mr. Walter was a member of the Committee on the Library.

The following letter from Mrs. Keyser was read by Recording Secretary Radcliffe:

"To the President and Board of Managers of the  
Maryland Historical Society.

"Gentlemen:

"Complying with my offer of a Memorial to Mr. H. Irvine Keyser, that was graciously approved, I am herewith forwarding to you the Deed of Gift. I have the same drawn to read December the seventeenth, 1916, because of that being my husband's Birthday, legally, it is due today.

"With great pleasure I will see that its provisions are carried out.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) MARY WASHINGTON KEYSER.

104 W. Monument St.,

December 18, 1916."

Recording Secretary Radcliffe also read the following letter of acknowledgment which he had sent Mrs. Keyser:

"December 20, 1916.

"Mrs. Mary Washington Keyser,

"Dear Mrs. Keyser:

"Your letter of yesterday to the President and Board of Managers of the Maryland Historical Society and the Deed of Gift which you enclosed, were promptly received.

"I have been instructed by the Council of the Maryland Historical Society to acknowledge with grateful appreciation the receipt of your letter and deed and to advise you that they will be referred to the first meeting of the Maryland Historical Society which will be on January 8th next, since under the provisions of the Constitution and By-Laws the general meeting of the Society is the proper body to take definite action in regard to a matter of such great importance.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) GEORGE L. RADCLIFFE,

*Recording Secretary.*"

President Warfield then requested Judge Stockbridge to read the deed of gift from Mrs. Keyser. Judge Stockbridge thereupon read the deed which was worded as follows:

"This Deed made this 17th day of December, nineteen hundred and sixteen, by Mary Washington Keyser, widow, of Baltimore City, Maryland, of the first part; to the Maryland Historical Society, a corporation under the laws of Maryland, of the second part.

"Whereas the said party of the first part, desiring to establish a memorial to her late husband, H. Irvine Keyser, has purchased the lot of ground and premises hereinafter described with the intention of conveying the same to the said party of the second part, and also of constructing a fire-proof building in addition to the building now upon said lot; so that said premises may be owned, used and enjoyed by said party of the second part for its principal corporate purposes.

"Now therefore This Deed Witnesseth, that in consideration of the premises and the sum of one dollar, the said party of the first part does hereby grant and convey unto the said party of the second part all that lot or parcel of ground situate in Baltimore City, Maryland, and more particularly described as follows:

"Beginning for the same at the corner formed by the intersection of the south side of Monument St. and the west side of Park Avenue; and running thence westerly, binding on the south side of Monument Street, ninety-eight feet eleven inches to the wall of the dwelling house formerly owned by James M. Nicholson; thence southerly, binding along said wall, and continuing the same course, in all, one hundred and twenty-five feet to the north side of "K" Alley, at a point distant ninety-eight feet ten inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the north side of "K" Alley and the west side of Park Avenue; thence easterly, binding on the north side of "K" Alley, ninety-eight feet ten inches to the said northwest corner of "K" Alley and Park Avenue; thence northerly binding on the west side of Park Avenue, one hundred and twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

“Being the same lot or parcel of ground which by deed dated November 15th, 1916, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore City in Liber S. C. L. No. 3090, folio 237, etc., was granted and conveyed by the Trustees of the Sheppard and Enoch Pratt Hospital unto the said party of the first part in fee simple.

“Together with the buildings and improvements upon said lot, erected or to be erected, and all the rights, alleys, ways, waters, privileges, appurtenances and advantages to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

“To Have and to Hold the same unto and to the use of the said party of the second part and its successors, in fee simple.

“Provided Always that the lot of ground and premises hereby conveyed shall never be sold, mortgaged, or aliened by the said party of the second part, or its successors, but the same shall be held, occupied, used and enjoyed by the said party of the second part and its successors for the corporate purposes of the said Maryland Historical Society, and for containing its library and other collections and records, and as the site and location of said Society, in order that the same may remain as a memorial to the said H. Irvine Keyser (but nothing herein shall prevent the party of the second part from permitting the occasional use of the halls or rooms of the building on said lot for purposes deemed consistent with the objects of said party of the second part); and provided further that upon breach of any of the conditions above stated, it shall and may be lawful for said party of the first part, her heirs and assigns, to reënter upon the premises hereby conveyed and the same to have again, possess, occupy and enjoy as if this deed had never been made; and in such case this deed shall from thenceforth be utterly void and of no effect, in law or equity.

“And the said party of the first part further reserves the right to construct and complete the fire-proof addition or library in the rear of the building now on said lot, for which plans are now being prepared by the party of the first part; and for the payment of the cost of which she has made arrangements in the

event of her own death before said plans are fully carried out and said addition completed.

“And the said party of the first part hereby covenants that she will warrant specially the property hereby conveyed (subject to the conditions aforesaid), and that she will execute such further assurances thereof as may be requisite.

“In Testimony Whereof the said party of the first part has hereunto set her hand and seal.

(Signed) MARY WASHINGTON KEYSER.” (Seal.)

“Witness:

“LOUIS PEPPLEE.”

“STATE OF MARYLAND }  
CITY OF BALTIMORE } SS:

“I hereby Certify that on this 18th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and sixteen, before the Subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland, in and for Baltimore City, personally appeared Mary Washington Keyser, and acknowledged the foregoing deed to be her act.

“Witness my hand and notarial seal.

“LOUIS PEPPLEE,  
Notary Public.”

Judge Stockbridge thereupon made the following motion which was seconded by Mr. Spencer and passed unanimously:

“I move that the deed from Mrs. Mary Washington Keyser to the Maryland Historical Society be accepted and that the Treasurer of the Society be directed to have the same duly recorded, and that when recorded that the Recording Secretary be directed to enter a transcript of the same in full upon the minutes of this Society, together with the letter from Mrs. Keyser transmitting the same.”

Judge Stockbridge made a very interesting statement also in regard to the development of the plans which Mrs. Keyser has in mind for the improvement of the property which is to be the new home of the Society. In doing so, he referred to the

fact that Mrs. Keyser had visited personally with an architect a number of the libraries of Historical Societies in the eastern part of the United States.

Under the head of miscellaneous business, President Warfield called attention to the fact that according to the By-Laws of the Society, nominations should be made at that meeting of the Society. Mr. Culver thereupon made the following report:

“Gentlemen:

“Your Committee elected at a regular meeting of the Maryland Historical Society, held on Monday, December 11th, 1916, for the purpose of suggesting for nomination at the next regular meeting to be held on Monday, January 8th, 1917, names for officers of the Society and members of its Standing Committees, who shall serve the ensuing year 1917, (See Art. III, Sec. 9, of the Constitution), desire to report as follows:

“Your Committee aforesaid, has prepared a list of proposed nominees which we respectfully submit to the consideration and action of this Society. During the year past, three members of Committees, Messrs. Clayton C. Hall, John A. Tompkins and Moses R. Walter have been removed by death. Their places are herein tentatively supplied by the names of gentlemen who are worthy to be their successors. With this exception, no material change has been made in the former personnel. Before preparing this list, various chairmen and members of the existing committees were consulted. Attached hereto will be found a list of the proposed nominees.\*

“Very truly,

FRANCIS B. CULVER,

WILLIAM H. LYTLE,

EDWARD INGLE,

*Committee.”*

The Society had the pleasure of hearing another paper from Mr. Semmes based upon his biography of the late John H. B.

\*See pages 87, 88.

Latrobe. Mr. Semmes gave a most interesting and instructive account of the early days of the foundation of the Maryland Institute which was the result very largely of the labors of Mr. Latrobe. He also spoke of Mr. Latrobe's connection with the American Historical Society and his relations with Mr. John P. Kennedy and other men of letters during his career as lawyer, painter, architect, poet and as the author of the classic work on the Justice of the Peace. Upon the conclusion of Mr. Semmes' paper, General Trippe voiced the feeling of appreciation and gratitude of the Society to Mr. Semmes for the pleasure which his address had afforded.

The Society adjourned at 10.15 p. m.

*Meeting of February 12th, 1917.*—The regular monthly meeting of the Society was called to order at the home of the Society at 8.30 p. m. with President Warfield in the chair.

In the absence of the Secretary, Vice-President Stockbridge served as Corresponding Secretary.

Miss Harriett P. Marine presented three handsome volumes entitled "Art Essays," by Virginia Lowman Hoult, on behalf of the American Daughters of the Revolution. At the request of the chair Miss Marine explained the character of the work. She stated that copies of the work are not for sale, but are issued by Mr. Hoult at his personal expense for private distribution as gifts.

Upon motion of Judge Stockbridge, the Society expressed its thanks to Mr. Cornelius Hoult and to the Daughters of the American Revolution for their interest through Miss Marine in securing copies of his work for our library.

The donations to the cabinet, which had been presented by Mr. George Warfield, were described by Vice-President Stockbridge. These included a cane made by his brother from wood taken from the steamer Cumberland which was sunk by the Merrimac. These gifts also included two large medallions, one containing a representation of the signing of the Declaration of Independence and another an imprint of the language thereof.

The election of new members to the Society resulted as follows:

Mr. Joseph Pache—Active  
Mr. John Gittings Buchanan—Active  
Mr. John W. Grace—Active  
Mr. William Champ Robinson—Active  
Mr. Thomas E. Cottman—Active  
Mr. Frank Gosnell—Active  
Mr. Tunstall Smith—Active  
Mr. Richard Trippe—Active  
Mr. Julien M. Friez—Active  
Mr. Lucien L. Friez—Active  
Mrs. H. C. Kirk—Active  
Mr. Talbot I. Albert—Active  
Mr. John D. Howard—Active  
Mr. Joseph Burden Mitchell—Active

Under the head of correspondence, Vice-President Stockbridge called attention to important correspondence during the past month.

Under the head of necrology, the Recording Secretary announced that on January 18th, 1917, Dr. James A. Fechtig died. He had been elected a member on June 12th, 1883. The Recording Secretary also stated that on January 21st, 1917, Dr. John W. Chambers died. He had been elected a member on April 21st, 1909.

Judge Stockbridge presented the following letter from Mrs. Keyser:

“Dear Judge Stockbridge:

“Herewith are the plans of the New Library that you kindly offered to explain at the meeting this evening of The Maryland Historical Society.

“It has meant much to me that this Memorial should be my own work. Therefore, I have devoted much time and thought in my interest in each minute detail.

"I now feel that the best that is possible has been accomplished: for this site and the dimensions to be builded on.

"While communicating with the main house, they should not be attached.

"The Library will be strictly and entirely fireproof, beside conforming as nearly as compatible with the old structure, in order that neither should suffer by contact.

"They will both be brick and marble, severe and dignified in outline, etc.

"You will observe that since our last interview, I have placed over the windows in the Picture Gallery the "Arms of Maryland" and on either side the dates of the Society.

"Thanking you for your kind interest and assistance throughout my undertaking, I am,

"Very truly yours,

(Signed) MARY WASHINGTON KEYSER.

104 West Monument St.

February 12, 1917."

The Society then had the pleasure of examining a dozen or more blue prints showing in detail the plans for the improvement of the property which is to be the new home of the Society.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

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#### ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Maryland Historical Society, held on February 12th, 1917, was called to order at 8.30 p. m. with President Warfield in the chair.

Mr. John E. Sanford was selected as presiding officer and George L. Radcliffe as secretary of the meeting. The chairman, upon finding that a quorum was present, began the regular course of business. The list of nominations for officers, trustees of the Athenæum and members of the various committee were read by Mr. Radcliffe. The Chair appointed

Mr. Samuel B. Cator and G. H. Strickland as tellers of election. As there was no contest for any of the offices, the secretary was directed to cast the ballot of the Society for each one of the candidates for the position for which he had been nominated. This was done.

President Warfield, speaking for the Council, gave a brief account of the work accomplished by the Society during the year just ended. He said:

“This year 1916 will stand out in the annals of the Maryland Historical Society as the most notable one in its history since 1843, when it was organized and steps were taken to build this beautiful home. The event which marks this as a memorable year was the magnificent gift made by Mrs. Mary Washington Keyser of a new home for the Society, centrally located on the corner of Park Avenue and Monument Street. This home was given by Mrs. Keyser as a memorial to her late husband, H. Irvine Keyser, Esquire, who became an active member of the Society in 1873. It will be a beautiful and enduring monument to Mr. Keyser and will perpetuate his memory in a most classic and historic way, associating more closely his name with the proud and sacred records of Maryland history.

“Mrs. Keyser, by a deed dated December 17th, 1916, conveyed this property to the Society, reserving the right to construct and complete, at her own cost, a fire-proof addition or library in the rear of the building now on said lot, in which to keep the valuable books, paintings, works of art and rare and priceless historic documents owned by the Society. The erection of this building is being done under the personal supervision of Mrs. Keyser. She has engaged experienced architects with whom she has visited a number of up-to-date library buildings of other historical societies.

“Our Society is fortunate in having a benefactor who is giving her time and exercising her good taste and judgment in the erection and equipment of a new home, which she pro-

poses shall be equal in every respect to the home of other notable historical societies.

“This new home will increase the ability of the Society to develop its historic work. The patriotism of Mrs. Keyser imposes upon the members of this Society, as well as upon every public-spirited citizen of this state and city, the sacred duty of providing an endowment fund large enough to yield a sufficient income for the upkeep of this new home and for the enlargement of the work of the Society. We should tonight dedicate ourselves to this patriotic work and solemnly resolve that we will not cease our efforts until we have raised such a fund.

“The Treasurer’s report, submitted herewith, and which gives in detail the receipts and disbursements, shows that the gross revenue from all sources amounted to \$6,319.85. The receipts from membership dues were \$3,167.00, an increase of \$468.00 over last year. This demonstrates the healthy growth of the Society.

“It gives me pleasure to state that we elected during 1916 one hundred and twenty-seven (127) active members and that the Society now has a total membership of 766, which is the largest in its history. When we occupy our new home we should have a membership of at least fifteen hundred, and I ask your earnest co-operation in bringing about such a result.

“I submit reports of the several standing Committees, which give in detail the work accomplished by these Committees and through them by the Society. They will be published in full in our *Magazine* and they should be carefully read by all of the members.”

The President, in concluding, spoke feelingly of the associations and memories which cluster about the beautiful old room in which the Society has met for seventy-two years. He referred to the fact that he had been attending meetings of the Society for thirty-eight years, and confessed that a feeling of sadness filled his heart as he realized that this would be the last annual meeting in the old home.

Vice-President Stockbridge moved that the report of the President be received, placed on file and published in the *Magazine*. The motion was carried unanimously.

The report of the Treasurer was then read by Mr. Radcliffe in the absence of Treasurer Boyce. It was received and referred to the auditing committee to be subsequently audited.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

TREASURER'S REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1916.

Cash on hand, January 1st, 1916.....		\$ 540 31
Receipts:		
Current Dues.....	\$ 3,167 00	
Dues in Arrears.....	170 00	
Magazine Sales, Subscriptions, etc.....	228 60	
Sales of Publications.....	24 15	
Investigations and Searches.....	78 90	
Use of Basement.....	189 00	
Income of Peabody Fund.....	863 00	
Income other than Peabody Fund.....	381 00	
Deposits in Medal Account.....	25 00	
Loan from Fidelity Trust Co.....	750 00	
Committee on Library.....	43 20	
Transferred from Special Guarantee Fund.....	400 00	
		<hr/> 6,319 85
		<hr/> \$6,860 16
Expenditures:		
General Expense.....	\$ 4,440 43	
Committee on Library.....	237 75	
Investigations and Searches.....	19 23	
General Expense, to adjust State Account.....	8 02	
Magazine Account.....	971 10	
Use of Basement (Janitor).....	117 00	
1915 Loan paid at Fidelity Trust Co.....	750 00	
		<hr/> \$6,543 53
Cash on hand, January 1st, 1917.....	316 63	
		<hr/> \$6,860.16

## MAGAZINE GUARANTEE FUND.

1916.

Cash on hand January 1st, 1916.....		\$245 48
Amount paid by members for 1915.....	50 00	
Amount paid by members for 1916.....	227 00	
Amount paid by members for 1917.....	55 00	
Interest to December 26th.....	11 89	
	<hr/>	343 89
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Transferred to General Account.....		\$589 37
		400 00
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		\$189 37
Also carried in this account pending action of the Committee,		
Loyola College.....	\$125 00	
Elizabeth G. Howard.....	100 00	
	<hr/>	225 00
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Cash on hand, January 1st, 1917.....		\$414 37
Amount still owing for 1915.....		5 00
Amount still owing for 1916.....		39 00
Amount still owing for 1917.....		211 00
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Total amount still owing.....		\$255 00

## REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE ATHENÆUM FOR 1916.

The annual report of the Trustees of the Athenæum was made by Mr. J. Appleton Wilson, their chairman, as follows:

The minor repairs have been attended to during the past year, and in May the yard on the West of the building was made more presentable, the brick walls painted, the decayed wood capping removed and glazed terra cotta laid in cement substituted, the iron hand rail to rear steps was renewed and the rails and gateway cleaned off and well painted. At the same time, the yard wall on the North side of building was repaired and the entire wood capping repaired and painted. During the year a number of the sash cords which had worn out were renewed with chains. In October the railing to the area on the Saratoga Street side was broken away by an automobile crashing into it. The name of the owner of the machine

was ascertained and we have sent him the bill for the repairs, but so far without securing payment.

We have examined the insurance policies covering this building and contents, and we have at present \$40,000 on the building, \$25,000 on books, manuscripts, maps, etc., \$6,500 on movable furniture, \$6,000 on paintings, and \$500 on casts and statuary, a total of \$78,000. We also have new policies on the house, 201 West Monument Street, for \$30,000, and on the rear building for \$3,000, all expiring on December 22, 1919.

Respectfully submitted.

J. APPLETON WILSON,  
Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ART GALLERY

Gentlemen:

The Committee on the Art Gallery begs leave to report that there were no additions to the gallery during the past year; and there were few, if any, pictures deposited with the Society. This is probably accounted for by the fact that the practice of accepting articles of little or no merit has been discontinued, and the committee recommends that the future policy of the Society in regard to the gallery should be to receive for deposit only paintings and prints of intrinsic merit or historic value. In other words, nothing should be received that the committee does not deem worthy to be exhibited.

Very respectfully,  
RUXTON M. RIDGELY,  
Acting Chairman.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE

The Library Committee begs to report the following additions to the library during the year of 1916:

49 volumes, books and manuscripts have been purchased and	
4 magazines acquired by subscription to the cost of.....	\$ 82 98
50 volumes have been bound at a cost of.....	79 29

1 filing case was purchased at a cost of.....	\$ 22 28
Lord Baltimore medal purchased, but afterwards the amount refunded by Colonial Dames of America.....	43 20
	\$227 75

The total disbursements authorized by the Library Committee amounted to \$237.75.

The Committee would call attention to the receipts by gift of the following:

259 volumes, 139 pamphlets, 156 issues of magazines, 1 map, 1 manuscript volume, 4 photographs, 4 medals, and 13 miscellaneous manuscripts.

We note here the deposit of the papers of David B. Warden by Mrs. George K. McGaw. These papers were described in the issue of the *Maryland Historical Magazine*; also a collection of Manuscripts by Capt. T. Worthington Hollyday, U. S. A.

Items of genealogical interest will be noted in the report of the Committee on Genealogy.

About 8,000 persons consulted 90,000 volumes.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD B. MATHEWS,  
Secretary, Library Committee.

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATION

Gentlemen:

The Publication Committee respectfully proposes the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved—That the *Magazine Account* be credited with the sum of \$48 for the cost of printing the annual report of the Society and the list of members, and the amount charged to General Expenses; and that it be also credited, in accordance with the terms of the deed of gift of the late Mr. George Peabody, and of the resolution of the Society adopted January 3, 1867, with the sum of \$431.50, being one-half the income

for the current year of the investments of the Peabody fund; and that the *Magazine Account* be then closed by appropriate entries in the usual manner.

The Committee on Publication respectfully reports that during the year it has caused to be prepared, four numbers of the *Maryland Historical Magazine* under the editorship of Louis H. Dielman. The contents of the *Magazine* have been varied and some of the Articles printed have been quite important. Both as a medium for informing the members of the Society of its activities and through the publication of interesting material upon the history of the State, the *Magazine* performs very useful functions.

The much regretted death of Clayton C. Hall, Esq., Editor of the *Maryland Archives*, and Chairman of the Committee, caused a reorganization of the Committee, with Samuel K. Dennis, Esq., as Chairman and John M. Vincent, Ph. D., as member of the Council, while Bernard C. Steiner, Ph. D., succeeded to the position of Editor of the *Archives*, and prepared for publication Volume 36 of the Series. This volume appeared in the beginning of November, and contains the Acts and Proceedings of the General Assembly from 1727-1729, together with a number of Acts passed between the years 1716 and 1726, but not previously in the *Archives*. The value of this series to all persons who have occasion to study the Provincial History of the State, increases with each additional volume.

The receipts and disbursements on *Magazine Account*, as exhibited to this Committee by the Treasurer of the Society, were as follows:

DISBURSEMENTS.

Vol. X: Cost of printing No. 4 (December No. 1915, including index) .....	\$ 206 40
Vol. XI: Cost of Printing No. 1, March 1916.....	215 40
Cost of printing No. 2, June 1916.....	127 00
Cost of printing No. 3, September 1916.....	157 10
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	\$705 90

Cost of Editing.....	\$ 150 00	
Cost of Copying.....	18 22	
Cost of Postage and Distribution.....	96 58	
Cost of Commissions on Advertisements..	40	
		265 20
		\$971 10

## RECEIPTS.

Vol. XI: From Sales .....	\$ 95 80	
From Subscriptions.....	102 80	
From Advertisements.....	30 00	
		228 60
Debit Balance.....		\$742 50
Against which is to be credited cost of printing Annual Report and List of Members in March issue, 32 pages at \$48.....	\$48 00	
And one-half the income from the Peabody Fund..	431 50	
		479 50
Leaving the sum of.....	\$263 00	
To be charged off in order to close this account as of Dec. 31, 1916.		

In order to ascertain the actual cost of publishing Volume XI, there is to be added to the amount of the excess of disbursements over receipts for the first three numbers..... \$536 10  
the cost of printing No. 4, the December number..... 146 10  
and deducted therefrom the amount of the credits above noted.. 479 50

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leaving as the actual cost of Volume XI..... \$202 70

At the January Session of the General Assembly in 1916, the usual appropriation of \$2,000 a year for a period of two years for the publication of the *Archives* was made. This appropriation, however, is now made in the General Appropriation Bill, instead of by Special Act, and is payable quarterly instead of semi-annually. The deficiency in the payment of the appropriation by the General Assembly in 1914 was paid by the State during last summer.

The following statement from the Treasurer presents this account in detail:

Balance on hand December 31, 1916.....	\$ 45 11
Dr.	
Received from State Appropriation in 1916.....	4,000 00
Received from interest on balance in bank.....	26 72
Received from Sales of Archives (1916).....	186 36
	\$4,258 19
Cr.	
Paid for editing Volumes 35 and 36.....	\$ 750 00
Paid for printing Volume 35 (616 pages).....	1,367 58
Paid for copying manuscripts (1916).....	190 29
Paid for sundries, stationery, etc.....	14 46
	2,322 33
Balance on hand December 31, 1916.....	\$1,935 86

The bill for printing Volume 36, amounting to \$1,713.35, will be paid in January.

Respectfully submitted,

BERNARD C. STEINER,  
SAMUEL K. DENNIS,  
JOHN MARTIN VINCENT,  
*Committee.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Similar action was taken in regard to the report of the Committee on Finance, as follows:

Merchants-Mechanics First National Bank,  
Baltimore, Md., February 10, 1917.

Hon. Edwin Warfield, President,  
Maryland Historical Society, Baltimore.

Dear Sir,

I beg to report that I have examined the securities belonging to the Society in the custody of the Treasurer, Heyward E. Boyce, Esq., contained in the box at the Fidelity Trust Company, as per the following list:

- \$5,000 Atlantic Coast Line Rwy. (Louisville & Nashville Collateral 4s).  
 \$5,000 Atlantic Coast Line Rwy. 1st Con. Mortgage 4s.  
 \$5,000 Norfolk & Western Rwy. 1st Con. Mortgage 4s.  
 \$5,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Prior Lien 3½s.  
 \$1,000 United Rwy. & Elec. Co. of Baltimore 1st Con. 4s.  
 \$1,200 Atlantic Coast Line Co. of Conn. Ctf. of Indebtedness 4s,  
     Assignment from Robert F. McKim Property on East Street,  
     yielding \$40 ground rent per annum, consideration \$1,000.  
 \$1,000 City of Baltimore 4 per cent. Engine House Loan.  
 \$4,000 United Railways & Electric Co. of Balto. 1st Con. 4s.  
 \$2,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. 1st 4s.  
 \$400 Atlantic Coast Line of Conn. 5-20 4 per cent. Certificates.  
 \$1,000 Lexington Street Rwy. 5 per cent. 1949.

Respectfully submitted,

DOUGLAS H. THOMAS,  
*Committee.*

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP

Gentlemen:

The Committee on Membership begs to report that there were 571 active names on the Membership Roll December 31, 1915.

During the year 1916, one person was reinstated, and 127 were elected and accepted their membership. This made a total of 699. Deducting from this number the losses by death and resignation, which numbered 30 persons, we have the total state of Active Membership as it appeared on December 31, 1916, being 669.

The Associate Members on December 31, 1916, were 47, and 12 persons were elected in 1916, which totaled 59 members. The number of losses by death and resignation was 4. Therefore, there were on the Associate Roll on December 31, 1916, 55 members.

The Life Membership List had a gain of one member.

The number of persons elected during the year of all classes was 1 Life, 12 Associate and 127 Active, making a total of 140 persons elected during the year 1916.

The total number on roll, including all classes, to December 31, 1916, was 768, consisting of:

Honorary Members.....	2
Life Members.....	4
Corresponding Members.....	38
Associate Members.....	55
Active Members.....	669
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Making a total of.....	768
	—

724 pay annual dues.

We are glad to note the increase in membership, and can state that it was due to the activity of 56 members.

Respectfully submitted,

MCHENRY HOWARD,  
*Chairman.*

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GENEALOGY

Gentlemen:

Your committee on Genealogy and Heraldry would respectfully report as follows:

A large collection of pedigrees and genealogical notes of over 300 Maryland families made by the late Wilson Miles Cary was deposited with the Society by Miss Cary and Mr. John Brune Cary.—(Reference is made to this gift in the *Maryland Historical Magazine*, Vol. XI, pp. 190-192.)

Mr. S. W. Townsend of New York City presented manuscript copies of data bearing on the Goodman, Beard and McKnew families.

Other genealogical data received during the year were:

A chart of the Jenkins family compiled by W. W. Jenkins in 1869, presented by Mr. F. H. Jenkins, and

A typewritten copy of the Register of Births and Baptisms in St. Peter's Parish, Montgomery County,

Maryland, copied and verified by Mrs. Bertha Hall Talbot of the Janet Montgomery Chapter of the D. A. R., and by Mr. Mortimer Beecher Hall, and presented by Mrs. Talbot.

We call attention to the care shown by Dr. Eldridge C. Price in compiling his pedigree on the blank form furnished by the Society to new members for this purpose. Any member who has not availed of this form will, on application at the library, be supplied.

This is the only work of the year which called for the notice of your committee.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM M. HAYDEN,  
*Committee.*

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ADDRESSES

Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Addresses report and append a list of papers read before the Maryland Historical Society at its monthly meetings during 1916:

- Jan. 10.—“The First Sixty Years of The Church of England in Maryland, 1632-1692.” By Mr. Lawrence C. Wroth, a member of the Society.
- Mar. 13.—“A Marylander on the Bench in Egypt.” By Mr. Philemon H. Tuck, a member of the Society.
- Apr. 10.—“Claiborne and Kent Island in Maryland History.” By Mr. DeCourcy W. Thom, a member of the Society.
- May 8.—“John H. B. Latrobe and His Times, 1803-1819, Including Life in Washington, Trip to Pittsburg and First Steamboat Voyage on the Mississippi.” By Mr. John E. Semmes, Sr., a member of the Society.
- Oct. 9.—“A New Englander’s Southern Tour in 1833: Henry Barnard’s First Experience with the South.” By Dr. Bernard C. Steiner, a member of the Society.
- Nov. 13.—“Personal Reminiscences of a Revolutionary Officer.” By Mr. Francis B. Culver, a member of the Society.
- Dec. 11.—“The Negro Question: John H. B. Latrobe’s Efforts to Solve the Problem.” By Mr. John E. Semmes, a member of the Society.

Upon the report of the tellers the chair announced that the elections had resulted as follows:

*President:*

EDWIN WARFIELD.

*Vice-Presidents:*

W. HALL HARRIS,

DECOURCY W. THOM.

HENRY STOCKBRIDGE,

*Corresponding Secretary:*

RICHARD H. SPENCER.

*Recording Secretary:*

GEORGE L. RADCLIFFE.

*Treasurer:*

HEYWOOD E. BOYCE,

*Trustees of Athenæum:*

J. APPLETON WILSON, *Chairman.*

WILLIAM H. GREENWAY,

CLINTON L. RIGGS,

A. LEO KNOTT,

EDWARD STABLER, JR.,

H. OLIVER THOMPSON.

*Committee on the Gallery:*

MILES WHITE, JR., *Chairman.*

OGDEN A. KIRKLAND,

FARIS C. PITT,

J. WILSON LEAKIN,

RUXTON M. RIDGLEY.

*Committee on the Library:*

LOUIS H. DIELMAN, *Chairman.*

WALTER I. DAWKINS,

EDWARD B. MATHEWS,

RICHARD M. DUVALL,

FREDERICK W. STORY,

JOHN H. LATANÉ,

THOS. J. C. WILLIAMS.

*Committee on Finance:*

DOUGLAS H. THOMAS, *Chairman.*

ROBERT GARRETT,

B. HOWELL GRISWOLD, JR.

*Committee on Publications:*

SAMUEL K. DENNIS, *Chairman.*

BERNARD C. STEINER,

JOHN M. VINCENT.

*Committee on Membership:*McHENRY HOWARD, *Chairman.*JOSEPH Y. BRATTAN,  
JAMES D. IGLEHART,  
EDWARD INGLE,WILLIAM H. LYTLE,  
ISAAC T. NORRIS,  
J. HALL PLEASANTS, JR.*Committee on Genealogy and Heraldry:*WM. M. HAYDEN, *Chairman.*B. BERNARD BROWNE,  
FRANCIS B. CULVER,WILLIAM J. MCCLELLAN,  
GEO. NOBBURY MACKENZIE,  
THOMAS E. SEARS.*Committee on Addresses and Literary Entertainments:*ANDREW C. TRIPPE, *Chairman.*

WILLIAM M. PEGRAM,

LAWRENCE C. WROTH.

Vice-President Stockbridge upon the request of Chairman Sanford thereupon escorted President Warfield to the Chair.

The Society by a vote expressed its thanks to Chairman Sanford and to Tellers Samuel B. Cator and G. H. Strickland for the efficient manner in which they had performed their important duties.

At the conclusion of the meeting Governor Warfield expressed his appreciation of the honor which the Society had done him in re-electing him as its President and voiced the hope that the new year which had begun under such auspicious circumstances would prove to be the most successful and most momentous one in the history of the Society.

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## LIST OF MEMBERS OF THE MARYLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

\*Died, 1916.

### HONORARY MEMBERS

BRYCE, JAMES, LL. D. (1882).....London, England.  
MARDEN, R. G. (1902).....13 Leinster Gardens, London, Eng.

### LIFE MEMBERS.

BRIDGES, MRS. PRISCILLA B. (1910)... { Care Dr. J. R. Bridges,  
630 College St., Charlotte, N. C.  
HILLS, MRS. WILLIAM SMITH (1914)....Grand Rapids, Mich.  
HOWARD, MISS ELIZABETH GRAY (1916)..901 St. Paul Street.  
NICHOLSON, ISAAC F. (1884).....1018 St. Paul Street.

### CORRESPONDING MEMBERS

ALDERMAN, E. A., LL. D. (1893).....University of Va., University, Va.  
APPLEGARTH, A. C. (1895)..... { 35 Southampton Ave.,  
Chestnut Hill, Phila., Pa.  
ASHBURNER, THOMAS (1895)..... { Care Babcock & Wilcox Co.,  
Chicago, Ill.  
BATTLE, K. P., LL. D. (1893).....Chapel Hill, N. C.  
BELL, HERBERT C. (1899).....R. D. Route, No. 4, Springfield, O.  
BIXBY, WM. K. (1907)..... { King's Highway and Lindell Ave.,  
St. Louis, Mo.  
BLACK, J. WILLIAM, PH. D. (1898)....56 Pleasant St., Waterville, Me.  
BROCK, R. A. (1875).....257 21st St., Philadelphia, Pa.  
BROOKS, WILLIAM GRAY (1895).....257 S. 21st St., Phila., Pa.  
BROWN, HENRY JOHN (1908).....4 Trafalgar Sq., London, W. C., Eng.  
BRUCE, PHILIP A. (1894).....Norfolk, Va.  
BUEL, CLARENCE C. (1887).....134 E. 67th St., New York.  
CHAILLE-LONG, COL. C. (1897).....506 A St., N. E., Washington, D. C.  
COCKEY, MARSTON ROGERS (1897).....117 Liberty St., New York.  
DE WITT, FRANCIS (1857).....Ware, Mass.  
DOBSEY, MRS. KATE COSTIGAN (1892)..Cong. Library, Washington, D. C.  
EABLE, GEORGE (1892).....Washington Ave., Laurel, Md.  
EHRENBERG, RICHARD (1895).....Rostock, Prussia.  
FORD, WORTHINGTON C. (1890).....1154 Boylston St., Boston, Mass.  
GARDINER, ASA BIRD, LL. D., L. H. D. { Union Club, New York.  
(1890) .....  
HALL, HUBERT (1904).....Public Record Office, London.





- ANDREWS, C. McLEAN, PH. D. (1907) . . . Yale Univ., New Haven, Conn.  
 ANDREWS, MATTHEW PAGE (1911) . . . . . 849 Park Ave.  
 APPOLD, LEMUEL T. (1902) . . . . . Care of Colonial Trust Co.  
 ARMISTEAD, GEORGE (1907) . . . . . 1025 Cathedral St.  
 BETHURS, EDWARD F. (1899) . . . . . 628 Equitable Building.  
 ATKINSON, ROBERT A. (1914) . . . . . 216 W. Madison St.  
 BAGLEY, GEORGE P. JR. (1916) . . . . . 818 Fidelity Building.  
 BAILY, G. FRANK (1908) . . . . . 28 S. Hanover St.  
 BAKER, J. HENRY (1910) . . . . . 2008 Park Ave.  
 BAKER, WILLIAM G. (1916) . . . . . Care of Baker, Watts & Co.  
 BALDWIN, SUMMERFIELD (1899) . . . . . 1006 N. Charles St.  
 BARCLAY, MRS. D. H. (1906) . . . . . 14 E. Franklin St.  
 BARRETT, HENRY C. (1902) . . . . . "The Severn."  
 BARBOLL, HOPE H. (1902) . . . . . Chestertown, Md.  
 BARBOLL, L. WETHERED (1910) . . . . . 609 Keyser Bldg.  
 BARBY, SAMUEL H., (1916) . . . . . 715 Greenmount Ave.  
 BARTLETT, J. KEMP (1900) . . . . . 2100 Mt. Royal Ave.  
 BARTON, RANDOLPH (1882) . . . . . 207 N. Calvert St.  
 BARTON, RANDOLPH, JR. (1915) . . . . . 207 N. Calvert St.  
 BASSETT, MRS. CHAS. WESLEY (1909) . . 2947 St. Paul St.  
 BAYARD, RICHARD H. (1914) . . . . . 707 Gaither Estate Bldg.  
 BAYLESS, WM. H. (1915) . . . . . 1101-2 Fidelity Building.  
 BEACHAM, ROBERT J. (1914) . . . . . Emerson Tower Bldg.  
 BEALMEAR, HERMAN (1916) . . . . . 1610 W. Lanvale St.  
 BEATTY, MRS. PHILIP ASFORDBY (1910) . 229 E. North Ave.  
 BEATSON, J. HERBERT (1914) . . . . . Fidelity Trust Co.  
 BENJAMIN, ROLAND (1915) . . . . . Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Md.  
 BENSON, CARVILLE D. (1913) . . . . . 1301 Fidelity Building.  
 BENSON, CHAS. HODGES (1915) . . . . . 515 N. Carrollton Ave.  
 BERKELEY, HENRY J., M. D. (1906) . . . 1305 Park Ave.  
 \*BERNARD, RICHARD (1898) . . . . . 54 Central Savings Bank Bldg.  
 BERRY, MISS CHRISTIANA D. (1907) . . . 322 Hawthorne Road, Roland Park.  
 BERRY, JASPER M., JR., (1907) . . . . . 225 St. Paul St.  
 BERRY, THOMAS L. (1909) . . . . . 702 Fidelity Building.  
 BEVAN, H. CROMWELL (1902) . . . . . 10 E. Lexington St.  
 BIBBINS, ARTHUR BARNEVELD (1910) . . 2600 Maryland Ave.  
 BIBBINS, MRS. A. B. (1906) . . . . . 2600 Maryland Ave.  
 BICKNELL, REV. JESSE R. (1910) . . . . 117 W. Mulberry St.  
 BILLSTEIN, NATHAN (1898) . . . . . The Lord Balto. Press.  
 BIRCKHEAD, P. MACAULAY (1884) . . . . 509 Park Ave.  
 BIRNIE, CLOTWORTHY, M. D. (1892) . . . Taneytown, Md.  
 BISHOP, WILLIAM R. (1916) . . . . . 1700 St. Paul St.  
 BIXLER, DR. W. H. H. (1916) . . . . . 418 N. Potomac St., Hagerstown, Md.  
 BLACK, H. CRAWFORD (1902) . . . . . 11th Floor Fidelity Building.  
 BLACK, VAN LEAR (1902) . . . . . 11th Floor Fidelity Building.  
 BLACKFORD, EUGENE (1916) . . . . . 200-4 Chamber of Commerce.  
 BLAKE, GEORGE A. (1893) . . . . . 1212 N. Charles St.

- BLAND, J. R. (1902).....U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co.  
 BLAND, RICHARD HOWARD (1916).....Catonsville, Md.  
 BONAPARTE, CHAS. J., LL. D. (1883)....216 St. Paul St.  
 BOND, CARROLL T. (1916).....1125 N. Calvert St.  
 BOND, G. MORRIS (1907).....315 P. O. Building.  
 BOND, JAMES A. C. (1902).....Westminster, Md.  
 BOND, THOMAS E. (1910).....726 Reservoir St.  
 BONSAI, LEOH (1902).....511 Calvert Building.  
 BORDLEY, DR. JAMES, JR. (1914).....201 Professional Bldg.  
 BOSLEY, ARTHUR LEE (1912).....1406 Mt. Royal Ave.  
 BOSLEY, MRS. ARTHUR LEE (1912).....1406 Mt. Royal Ave.  
 BOULDIN, MRS. CHARLES N. (1916)....The Homewood Apts.  
 BOWDOIN, HENRY J. (1890).....401 Maryland Trust Building.  
 BOWDOIN, MRS. WM. GRAHAM (1916)...1106 N. Charles St.  
 BOWDOIN, W. GRAHAM, JR. (1909)....401 Maryland Trust Building.  
 BOWEN, HERBERT H. (1915).....American Office.  
 BOWEN, JESSE N. (1916).....825 Equitable Building.  
 BOWERS, JAMES W., JR. (1909).....16 E. Lexington St.  
 BOWERS, THOMAS D. (1916).....Chestertown, Md.  
 BOWIE, CLARENCE K. (1916).....3020 N. Calvert St.  
 BOYCE, FRED. G., JR., (1916).....11 E. Chase St.  
 BOYCE, HEYWARD E. (1912).....3 N. Calvert St.  
 BOYDEN, GEORGE A. (1911).....Mt. Washington.  
 BRADFORD, SAMUEL WEBSTER (1916)...Belair, Md.  
 BRANDT, MISS MINNIE (1908).....11 E. Read St.  
 BRATTAN, J. Y. (1902).....American Office.  
 BRENT, MRS. ALICE HARRIS (1916)...The St. Paul Apts.  
 BRENT, MISS IDA S. (1900).....1125 Bolton St.  
 BRENT, ROBERT F. (1908).....104 E. Lexington St.  
 BROMWELL, MISS HENRIETTA E. (1912).Box 50, Denver, Col.  
 BROWN, ALEXANDER (1902).....712 Cathedral St.  
 BROWN, ARTHUR GEORGE (1883).....867 Park Ave.  
 BROWN, EDWIN H., JR. (1904).....Centreville, Md.  
 BROWN, FRANK (1896).....16 W. Saratoga St.  
 BROWN, JOHN W. (1890).....201 Ridgewood Rd., Roland Park.  
 BROWN, KIRK (1897).....1813 N. Caroline St.  
 BROWN, MRS. LYDIA B. (1902).....1412 Bolton St.  
 BROWN, MRS. WILLIAM T. (1916).....Chestertown, Md.  
 BROWNE, ARTHUR LEE (1913).....Riderwood, Md.  
 BROWNE, B. BERNARD, M. D. (1892)...510 Park Ave.  
 BROWNE, REV. LEWIS BEEMAN (1907)...Havre de Grace, Md.  
 BRUCE, OLIVER H. (1913).....Westernport, Allegany Co., Md.  
 BRUCE, OLIVER H., JR., (1913).....Cumberland, Md.  
 BRUCE, W. CABELL (1909).....8 W. Mt. Vernon Place.  
 BRUNE, H. M. (1902).....841 Calvert Building.  
 BRYAN, CARRYL H. (1914).....Wardour, Annapolis, Md.  
 BUCKLER, THOMAS H., M. D. (1913)...1201 St. Paul St.

- BURGAN, REV. H. W. (1910).....Annapolis, Md.  
 BURTON, PAUL GIBSON (1913).....108 E. Lexington St.  
 BUZBY, S. STOCKTON (1902).....1214 St. Paul St.
- CALWELL, JAMES S. (1911).....215 St. Paul St.  
 CAREY, JAMES (1913).....2220 N. Charles St.  
 CAREY, JOHN E. (1893)....."The Mount," Walbrook.  
 CARROLL, CHAS. BANCROFT (1915).....Doughoregan Manor, Howard Co., Md.  
 CARROLL, DOUGLAS GORDON (1913).....The Washington Apt.  
 CARY, WILSON MILES (1915).....18 E. Eager St.  
 CATOR, FRANKLIN P. (1914).....13-15 W. Baltimore St.  
 CATOR, GEORGE (1911).....803 St. Paul St.  
 CATOR, SAMUEL B. (1900).....711 N. Howard St.  
 CHALMERS, REV. ANDREW BURNS (1914) 2032 Park Ave.  
 \*CHAMBERS, JOHN W., M. D. (1909)... 18 W. Franklin St.  
 CHAPMAN, JAMES W. JR. (1916).....2016 Park Ave.  
 CHAPMAN, W. J. (1916).....2306 Eutaw Place.  
 CHESTNUT, W. CALVIN (1897).....1137 Calvert Building.  
 CLARK, MISS ANNA E. B. (1914).....14 E. Mt. Royal Ave.  
 CLOSE, PHILIP H. (1916).....Belair, Md.  
 COAD, J. F. (1907).....Charlotte Hall, Md.  
 COALE, W. E. (1908).....109 Chamber of Commerce.  
 COHEN, MISS BERTHA (1905).....415 N. Charles St.  
 COLEMAN, WILLIAM C. (1916).....16 E. Eager St.  
 COLGAN, EDWARD J., JR. (1915).....330 E. 22d St.  
 COLSTON, FREDERICK M. (1911).....3 N. Calvert St.  
 COLSTON, GEORGE A. (1914).....3 N. Calvert St.  
 COONAN, EDWARD V. (1907).....Courtland and Saratoga Sts.  
 COOPER, MISS H. FRANCES (1909).....1415 Linden Ave.  
 COOPER, J. CROSSAN (1912).....Stock Exchange Building.  
 COPPER, WILLIAM B. (1916).....Chestertown, Md.  
 CORBIN, MRS. JOHN W. (1898).....2208 N. Charles St.  
 CORNER, THOMAS C. (1913).....269 W. Biddle St.  
 COTTMAN, J. HOUGH (1885).....812 Keyser Building.  
 COTTEN, BRUCE (1912).....Cylburn, Sta. L., Mt. Wash.  
 COTTON, MRS. JANE BALDWIN (1896)... 239 Beacon St., Boston, Mass.  
 COWAN, DAVID PINKNEY (1915).....1602 Eutaw Pl.  
 CRAIN, ROBERT (1902).....2412 Eutaw Place.  
 CRANWELL, J. H. (1895).....Waynesboro, Pa.  
 CRAPSTER, ERNEST R. (1916).....321 St. Paul St.  
 CROMWELL, MRS. W. KENNEDY (1916).. Lake Roland.  
 CROSS, JOHN EMORY (1912).....Albion Hotel.  
 CULVER, FRANCIS BARNUM (1910).....125 W. 22d St.
- DABNEY, DR. WILLIAM M. (1916).....Ruxton, Md.  
 DALLAM, RICHARD (1897).....Belair, Md.  
 DALSHMEIER, SIMON (1909).....The Lord Baltimore Press.  
 DANDRIDGE, MISS ANNE S. (1893).....18 W. Hamilton St.



- FISHER, MISS GRACE W. (1907).....1420 Park Ave.  
 FITCHETT, THOMAS H. (1916).....Merc. Trust and Deposit Co.  
 \*FORD, ISAAC HENRY (1914).....1412 N St., N. W., Washington, D.C.  
 FORD, MISS SARAH M. (1916).....1412 N. St., N. W., Wash'n, D. C.  
 FOSTER, MRS. REUBEN (1909).....2301 N. Charles St.  
 FRANCE, DR. JOSEPH I. (1916).....15 W. Mt. Vernon Place.  
 FRANCE, MRS. J. I. (1910).....15 W. Mt. Vernon Place.  
 FREEMAN, BERNARD (1916).....Orkney Road, Govans, Md.  
 FREEMAN, J. DOUGLAS (1914).....Orkney Road, Govans, Md.  
 FRICK, GEORGE ARNOLD (1914).....906 Maryland Trust Bldg.  
 FRICK, J. SWAN (1895).....Guilford.  
 FRICK, JOHN W. (1916).....835 University Parkway.  
 FURST, FRANK A. (1914).....Liberty Road and Chestnut Ave.  
 FURST, J. HENRY (1915).....23 S. Hanover St.
- GAGE, MRS. EMMA ABBOTT (1911).....Annapolis, Md.  
 GAITHER, THOMAS H. (1892).....815 Gaither Building.  
 GAITHER, THOMAS H., JR. (1916).....508 Cathedral St.  
 GALLAGHER, MRS. HELEN M. P. (1916)..1017 N. Calvert St.  
 GAMBEL, MRS. THOS. B. (1915).....2017 St. Paul St.  
 GANTT, MRS. HARRY BALDWIN (1915)..Millersville, Md.  
 GABDINER, ASA BIBB, JB. (1912).....520 N. Calvert St.  
 GARNETT, J. MERCER (1916).....1239 Calvert Building.  
 GARRETT, JOHN W. (1898).....Garrett Building.  
 GARRETT, ROBERT (1898).....Garrett Building.  
 GARRETT, MRS. T. HARRISON (1913)...Evergreen, Charles St. Avenue.  
 GABY, E. STANLEY (1913).....722 Equitable Building.  
 GARY, JAMES A. (1892).....1200 Linden Ave.  
 GAULT, MATTHEW (1914).....1422 Park Ave.  
 GIBBS, JOHN S., JR. (1914).....1026 N. Calvert St.  
 GIBSON, W. HOPPER (1902).....Centreville, Md.  
 GIRDWOOD, ALLAN C. (1916).....Union Trust Building.  
 GITTINGS, JAMES C. (1911).....613 St. Paul St.  
 GITTINGS, JOHN S. (1885).....605 Keyser Building.  
 GLENN, JOHN, JR. (1915).....12 St. Paul St.  
 GLENN, JOHN M. (1905).....136 E. 19th St., New York, N. Y.  
 GLENN, REV. WM. LINDSAY (1905)....Emmorton, Md.  
 GOLDSBOROUGH, A. S. (1914).....2712 St. Paul St.  
 GOLDSBOROUGH, CHARLES (1908).....924 St. Paul St.  
 GOLDSBOROUGH, LOUIS P. (1914).....35 W. Preston St.  
 GOLDSBOROUGH, MURRAY LLOYD (1913)..Easton, Md.  
 GOLDSBOROUGH, PHILLIPS LEE (1915)...839 University Parkway.  
 GOODNOW, DR. FRANK J. (1916).....Johns Hopkins University.  
 GOODRICH, G. CLEM (1916).....110 E. German St.  
 GORDON, MRS. DOUGLAS H. (1916)....1009 N. Charles St.  
 GORDON, DOUGLAS H. (1896).....25 E. Baltimore St.  
 GORE, CLARENCE S., D. D. S. (1902)....1006 Madison Ave.  
 GORTER, JAMES P. (1902).....128 Court House.





- JACOBS, HENRY BARTON, M. D. (1903) .. 11 W. Mt. Vernon Place.
- JAMAR, DR. J. H. (1916) ..... Elkton, Md.
- JAMES, NORMAN (1903) ..... Catonsville, Md.
- JENKINS, E. AUSTIN (1880) ..... 831 Munsey Building.
- JENKINS, GEORGE C. (1883) ..... 16 Abell Building.
- JENKINS, THOS. W. (1885) ..... 1521 Bolton St.
- JOHNSON, J. ALTHEUS (1915) ..... Seat Pleasant, Prince Geo. Co., Md.
- JOHNSON, J. HEMSLEY (1916) ..... 225 W. Monument St.
- \*JOHNSON, WILLIAM FELL (1902) ..... Brooklandville, Md.
- JOHNSTONE, MISS EMMA E. (1910) ... 855 Park Ave.
- JONES, ARTHUR LAFAYETTE (1911) ... } Care of J. S. Wilson Co.,  
Calvert Building.
- JONES, ELIAS, M. D. (1902) ..... Custom House.
- JONES, T. BARTON (1914) ..... 1213-14 Fidelity Bldg.
- KARR, HARRY E. (1913) ..... 1301 Fidelity Bldg.
- KEECH, EDW. P., JR. (1909) ..... 900-901 Maryland Trust Bldg.
- KEDEL, GEO. C., PH. D. (1912) ..... 136 E. Capitol St., Wash'tn, D. C.
- KENNEDY, JOSEPH P. (1915) ..... 603 University Parkway.
- KEYS, MISS JANE G. (1905) ..... 208 E. Lanvale St.
- \*KEYSER, H. IRVINE (1873) ..... Keyser Bldg.
- KEYSER, MRS. MARY WASHINGTON  
(1894) ..... } Eccleston, Md.
- KEYSER, R. BRENT (1894) ..... 910 Keyser Building.
- KING, HENRY L. (1916) ..... 13-19 W. North Ave.
- KINSOLVING, REV. ARTHUR B. (1908) ... 24 W. Saratoga St.
- KIRK, HENRY C., JR. (1908) ..... 106 E. Baltimore St.
- \*KIRK, JOSEPH L. (1906) .....
- KIRKLAND, OGDEN A. (1889) ..... 17 W. Mulberry St.
- KLINFELTER, MRS. EMILY HENDRIX  
(1915) ..... } Chestertown, Md.
- KNAPP, CHARLES H. (1916) ..... 1418 Fidelity Building.
- KNOTT, A. LEO (1894) ..... Belvedere Hotel.
- KOCH, CHARLES J. (1905) ..... 2915 E. Baltimore St.
- KNAPP, CHARLES H. (1914) ..... Fidelity Bldg.
- KNOX, J. H. MASON, JR., M. D. (1909) .. 804 Cathedral St.
- LACY, BENJAMIN (1914) ..... 1630 Linden Ave.
- LANAHAN, MRS. CHAS. (1915) ..... Washington Apartments.
- LANKFORD, H. F. (1893) ..... Princess Anne, Md.
- LATANÉ, JOHN HOLLADAY, PH. D., LL. D. (1913) Johns Hopkins Univ.
- LEAKIN, J. WILSON (1902) ..... 814 Fidelity Building.
- LEDEBER, LEWIS J. (1916) ..... Marine Bank Building.
- LEE, H. C. (1903) ..... 23 W. 20th St.
- LEE, JOHN L. G. (1916) ..... 511 Calvert Building.
- LEE, RICHARD LAWS (1896) ..... 232 St. Paul St.
- LEGG, JOHN C., JR. (1916) ..... 110 E. German St.
- LEHR, ROBERT OLIVER (1916) ..... 302 Exchange Place.
- LEVERING, EDWIN W. (1916) ..... Calvert and German Sts.

- LEVERING, EUGENE (1895).....26 South St.  
 LEVY, WILLIAM B. (1909).....11th floor, Fidelity Building.  
 LINTHICUM, J. CHARLES (1905).....217 St. Paul St.  
 LIVEZEY, E. (1907).....22 E. Lexington St.  
 LJUNGSTEDT, MRS. A. O. (1915).....Bethesda, R. D. 1, Mont. Co., Md.  
 LLOYD, C. HOWARD (1907).....1120 St. Paul St.  
 LLOYD, HENRY (1902).....Cambridge, Md.  
 LLOYD, UPSHUR (1909).....Easton, Md.  
 LOCKWOOD, WILLIAM F., M. D. (1891)..8 E. Eager St.  
 LUCAS, WM. F., JR. (1909).....221 E. Baltimore St.  
 LYELL, J. MILTON (1916).....1163 Calvert Building.  
 LYON, MISS MARY A. (1916).....1209 Madison Ave.  
 LYTLE, WM. H. (1908).....1220 St. Paul St.  
  
 McADAMS, REV. EDW. P. (1906).....Glyndon, Md.  
 McALLISTER FRANCIS W. (1916).....520 Woodlawn Rd., Roland Park.  
 McCLELLAN, WILLIAM J. (1866).....1208 Madison Ave.  
 McCOLGAN, CHARLES C. (1916).....12 E. Lexington St.  
 McCORMICK, ROBERDEAU A. (1914)...McCormick Block.  
 McCORMICK, THOMAS P., M. D. (1902)..1421 Eutaw Place.  
 McEVOY, JAMES, JR. (1909).....533 Title Bldg.  
 McGAW, GEORGE K. (1902).....Charles and Mulberry Sts.  
 MACGILL, RICHARD G., JR. (1891).....110 Commerce St.  
 McGROARTY, WILLIAM BUCKNER (1913). 119 E. Baltimore St.  
 MACKALL, W. HOLLINGSWORTH (1909)..Elkton, Md.  
 MACKENZIE, GEORGE NORBURY (1890)..2 E. Lexington St.  
 McKEON, MRS. E. H. (1910).....12 E. Eager St.  
 McKIM, MRS. HOLLINS (1916).....The Severn Apts.  
 McKIM, S. S. (1902).....National Union Bank.  
 MACKUBIN, MISS FLORENCE (1913)....The Brexton.  
 McLANE, ALLAN (1894).....Garrison, Md.  
 McLANE, JAMES L. (1888).....903 Cathedral St.  
 McNEAL, J. V. (1907).....729 N. Calvert St.  
 MACSHERRY, ALLAN (1914).....224 St. Paul St.  
 MAGRUDER, CALEB C., JR. (1910).....Upper Marlboro, Md.  
 MALOY, WILLIAM MILNES (1911).....1403 Fidelity Building.  
 MANDELBAUM, SEYMOUR (1902).....617 Fidelity Building.  
 MANLY, MRS. WM. M. (1916).....1109 N. Calvert St.  
 MARBURY, WILLIAM L. (1887).....700 Maryland Trust Building.  
 MARINE, MISS HARRIET P. (1915).....2514 Madison Ave.  
 MARRIOTT, TELFAIR W. (1916).....217 St. Paul St.  
 MARSHALL, JOHN W. (1902).....13 South St.  
 MARYE, WILLIAM B. (1911).....222 E. Biddle St.  
 MASSEY, E. THOMAS (1909).....Massey, Kent Co., Md.  
 MATHEWS, EDWARD B., PH. D. (1905)..Johns Hopkins University.  
 \*MATTHEWS, HENRY C. (1892).....Albemarle and Fleet Sts.  
 MAY, GEORGE (1916).....Maryland Club.  
 MEEKINS, LYNN R. (1908).....2418 N. Charles St.



- PARKER, JOHN (1916).....Peabody Institute.  
 PARR, MRS. CHAS. E. (1915).....18 E. Lafayette Ave.  
 PARRAN, MRS. FRANK J. (1908).....144 W. Lanvale St.  
 PARRAN, THOMAS (1915).....Calvert Co., Md.  
 PARRAN, WILLIAM J. (1903).....124 S. Charles St.  
 PASSANO, EDWARD B. (1916).....Towson, Md.  
 PATTERSON, J. LER. (1909).....802 Harlem Ave.  
 PATTON, MRS. JAMES H. (1913).....Guilford Manor Apts.  
 PAUL, MRS. D'ARCY (1909)....."Woodlands," Gorsuch Ave.  
 PEARCE, JAMES A., LL. D. (1902).....Chestertown, Md.  
 PEARRE, AUBREY, JR. (1906).....207 N. Calvert St.  
 PEGRAM, WM. M. (1909).....U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co.  
 PENNIMAN, THOS. D. (1911).....922 Cathedral St.  
 PENNINGTON, JOSIAS (1894).....Professional Building.  
 PENNINGTON, MRS. JOSIAS (1916).....1119 St. Paul St.  
 PERINE, E. GLENN (1882).....18 E. Lexington St.  
 PERINE, MRS. GEORGE CORBIN (1916).....1105 Cathedral St.  
 PERKINS, ELISHA H. (1887).....Provident Savings Bank.  
 PERKINS, WILLIAM H., JR. (1887).....700 Equitable Building.  
 PETER, ROBERT B. (1916).....Rockville, Md.  
 PHELPS, CHARLES E., JR. (1903).....1028 Cathedral St.  
 PITT, FARIS C. (1908).....912 N. Charles St.  
 PITT, HERBERT ST. JOHN (1915).....912 N. Charles St.  
 PLEASANTS, J. HALL, JR., M. D. (1898).....807 University Parkway.  
 POLLITT, L. IRVING (1916).....1715 Park Place.  
 POPE, GEORGE A. (1902).....214 Chamber of Commerce.  
 POST, A. H. S. (1916).....Mercantile Trust and Deposit Co.  
 POULTNEX, WALTER DE C. (1916).....St. Paul and Mulberry Sts.  
 POWELL, WM. C. (1912).....Snow Hill, Md.  
 POWELL, MRS. WM. S. (1916).....Ellicott City, Md.  
 PRESTON, JAMES H. (1898).....City Hall.  
 PRETTYMAN, CHARLES W. (1909).....Rockville, Md.  
 PRICE, DR. ELDRIDGE C. (1915).....1012 Madison Ave.  
 PURDUM, BRADLEY K. (1902).....Hamilton, Md.  
  
 RABORG, CHRISTOPHER (1902).....1314 W. Lanvale St.  
 RADCLIFFE, GEO. L. P., PH. D. (1908).....615 Fidelity Building.  
 RANCK, SAMUEL H. (1898).....Public Lib'y, Grand Rapids, Mich.  
 RANDALL, BLANCHARD (1902).....200 Chamber of Commerce Bldg.  
 RANDOLPH, GEORGE F. (1916).....B. & O. Building.  
 RAWLS, W. L. (1905).....700 Maryland Trust Building.  
 RAYNER, A. W. (1905).....8 E. Lexington St.  
 REDWOOD, MRS. MARY B. (1907).....918 Madison Ave.  
 REED, MRS. EMILIE MCKIM (1909).....512 Park Ave.  
 REEDER, CHARLES L. (1907).....919 Equitable Building.  
 REIFSNIDER, JOHN M. (1895).....Westminster, Md.  
 REMSEN, IRA, LL. D. (1901).....Johns Hopkins University.  
 REVELL, EDWARD J. W. (1916).....13 E. Read St.



- SHOWER, GEORGE T., M. D. (1913).....3721 Roland Ave.  
 SHYROCK, THOMAS J. (1891).....1401 Madison Ave., P. O. Box 717.  
 SILL, HOWARD (1897).....11 E. Pleasant St.  
 SIMMONS, MRS. H. B. (1916).....Chestertown, Md.  
 SIOUSSAT, MRS. ANNA L. (1891).....Lake Roland, Md.  
 SIOUSSAT, ST. GEORGE LEAKIN (1912)..Vanderbilt Univ., Nashville, Tenn.  
 SKINNER, MRS. HARRY G. (1913).....Mt. Washington, Md.  
 SKINNER, M. E. (1897).....805 Calvert Building.  
 SKIRVEN, PERCY G. (1914).....3900 Cottage Ave.  
 SLOAN, GEORGE F. (1880).....Roland Park.  
 SMITH, MRS. WALTER PRESCOTT (1913)..18 E. Madison St.  
 SMITH, REV. CHESTER MANSFIELD (1912)1204 Mt. Royal Ave.  
 SMITH, FRANK O. (1913).....Washington, D. C.  
 SMITH, HENRY LEE, M. D. (1912).....2701 Calvert St.  
 SMITH, JOHN DONNELL (1903).....505 Park Ave.  
 SMITH, THOMAS A. (1909).....Ridgely, Caroline Co., Md.  
 SNOWDEN, WILTON (1902).....Central Savings Bank Building.  
 SOLLERS, SOMERVILLE (1905).....1311 John St.  
 SPENCER, RICHARD H. (1891).....Earl Court.  
 STABLER, EDWARD, JR. (1876).....Madison and Eutaw Sts.  
 \*STABLER, JORDAN (1910).....Eutaw and Madison Sts.  
 STARR, RT. REV. WM. E. (1914).....Corpus Christi Church.  
 STEELE, JOHN MURRAY, M. D. (1911)...Owings Mills, Md.  
 STEIN, CHAS. F. (1905).....S. E. Cor. Courtl'd & Saratoga Sts.  
 STEINER, BERNARD C., PH. D. (1892)...1038 N. Eutaw St.  
 STERLING, GEORGE S. (1902).....228 Light St.  
 STEVENSON, H. M., M. D. (1904).....1022 W. Lafayette Ave.  
 STEWART, DAVID (1886).....213 St. Paul St.  
 STEWART, REDMOND C. (1916).....207 N. Calvert St.  
 STIRLING, ADMIRAL YATES (1889).....209 W. Lanvale St.  
 STOCKBRIDGE, HENRY (1883).....11 N. Calhoun St.  
 STONE, JOHN T. (1894).....N. W. Cor. Baltimore & North Sts.  
 STORK, JOHN WILLIAM (1914).....424 N. Charles St.  
 STORY, FREDERICK W. (1885).....217 Court House.  
 STRAN, MRS. KATE A. (1900).....1912 Eutaw Place.  
 STRICKLAND, C. HOBART (1916).....Guilford Apts.  
 STUART, MISS SARAH ELIZABETH (1915).Chestertown, Md.  
 STUDDY, HENRY FRANCIS (1913).....Annapolis, Md.  
 SUDLER, MISS CAROLINA V. (1915).....2602 Shirley Ave.  
 SUMMERS, CLINTON (1916).....101 Roland Ave.  
 SUMWALT, MRS. MARY H. (1909).....2921 N. Calvert St.  
 SUTTON, MRS. EBEN (1911).....515 Park Ave.  
 SWINDELL, MRS. WALTER B. (1913).....506 Roland Ave., Roland Park.  
 SYMINGTON, WM. W. (1916).....Catonsville, Md.  
 TALBOTT, MRS. BERTHA C. HALL (1913).Rockville, Md.  
 TAPPAN, WILLIAM (1909).....1419 Bolton St.  
 TAYLOR, ARCHIBALD H. (1909).....405 Maryland Trust Building.

- THAYEB, W. S., M. D. (1902).....406 Cathedral St.  
 THOM, DeCOURCY W. (1884).....405 Maryland Trust Building.  
 THOM, MRS. LEA (1902).....204 W. Lanvale St.  
 THOMAS, MRS. ANNIE HOBNER (1914)..2110 Mt. Royal Terrace.  
 THOMAS, DOUGLAS H. (1874).....Merchants-Mechanics Bank.  
 THOMAS, GEO. C. (1915).....N. Charles and 27th Sts.  
 THOMAS, JAMES W. (1894).....Cumberland, Md.  
 THOMAS, JOHN B. (1910).....S. E. Cor. Charles and 33rd Sts.  
 THOMAS, WILLIAM S. (1915).....211 N. Calvert St.  
 THOMAS, MISS ZAIDEE T. (1916)...1302 Eutaw Place.  
 THOMPSON, H. OLIVER (1895).....216 St. Paul St.  
 THOMPSON, JOHN J., JR. (1881).....Maryland Club.  
 \*TIFFANY, LOUIS McLANE, M. D. (1902). 831 Park Ave.  
 TILGHMAN, OSWALD (1906).....Easton, Md.  
 TOADVIN, E. STANLEY (1902).....Salisbury, Md.  
 TODD, W. J., M. D. (1902).....Mt. Washington, Md.  
 TOLSON, ALBERT C. (1916).....82-83 Gunther Building.  
 \*TOMPKINS, JOHN A. (1893).....1725 Munsey Building.  
 TREDWAY, REV. S. B. (1892).....R. F. D. 4, Havre de Grace, Md.  
 TRIPPE, ANDREW C. (1877).....347 N. Charles St.  
 TROUPE, MRS. CALVIN FERRIS (1914)...St. Paul Apartments.  
 TROUPE, RINALDO W. B. (1914).....2322 Eutaw Place.  
 TRUNDLE, MRS. WILSON BURNS (1914).2414 Madison Ave.  
 TUBMAN, ROBERT E. (1915).....117 W. Lombard St.  
 TUCK, PHILEMON H. (1914).....207 N. Calvert St.  
 TURNBULL, MRS. CHESTER B. (1916)...Hollen and Sycamore Sts. Cedarcroft.  
 TURNBULL, EDWIN L. (1916).....12 E. Lexington St.  
 TURNBULL, LAWRENCE (1889).....1530 Park Ave.  
 TURNER, HOWARD (1916).....Betterton, Kent Co., Md.  
 TURNER, REV. JOSEPH BROWN (1915)...75 Main St., Port Deposit, Md.  
 TURNER, J. FRANK (1903).....23 East North Ave.  
 TYSON, A. M. (1895).....207 N. Calvert St.  
 TYSON, MRS. FLORENCE MacINTYBE } 251 W. Preston St.  
 (1907) ..... }
- VICKERY, E. M. (1913).....1223 N. Calvert St.  
 VINCENT, JOHN M., PH. D. (1894).....Johns Hopkins University.
- WALKER, MRS. CATHERINE F. (1915)...Chestertown, Md.  
 WALLACE, CHAS. C. (1915).....804 Union Trust Bldg.  
 \*WALTER, MOSES R. (1883).....908 Maryland Trust Building.  
 WALTERS, HENRY (1880).....Safe Deposit & Trust Co.  
 WARFIELD, EDWIN (1879).....Fidelity Building.  
 WARFIELD, EDWIN, JR. (1914).....Fidelity Building.  
 WARFIELD, GEORGE (1913).....624 N. Carrollton Ave.  
 WARFIELD, JOHN (1916).....15 E. Saratoga St.  
 WARFIELD, RIDGELY B., M. D. (1907)...845 Park Ave.  
 WARFIELD, S. DAVIES (1902).....40 Continental Trust Building.

- WARNER, C. HOPEWELL (1895).....10 E. Fayette St.  
 WATERS, FRANCIS E. (1909).....905 Union Trust Building.  
 WATERS, J. SEYMOUR T. (1902).....222 St. Paul St.  
 WATERS, MISS MARY E. (1916).....2028 Mt. Royal Terrace.  
 WATERS, MISS MARGARET (1909).....Carrollton Ave. and Mosher St.  
 WATTS, J. CLINTON (1914).....223 St. Paul St.  
 WATTS, SEWELL S. (1916).....Calvert and German Sts.  
 WEAVER, JACOB J., JR., M. D. (1889)....Uniontown, Md.  
 WELSH, MRS. ROBERT A. (1916).....Millersville, A. A. Co., Md.  
 WEST, HARRY (1916).....Hanover and Fayette Sts.  
 WENTZ, MRS. H. C. (1911).....2217 Oak St.  
 WHITE, JULIAN LE ROY (1887).....2400 W. North Ave.  
 WHITE, MILES, JR. (1897).....607 Keyser Building.  
 WHITELEY, JAMES S. (1901).....510 Keyser Building.  
 WHITRIDGE, MORRIS (1890).....10 South St.  
 WHITRIDGE, WILLIAM H. (1886).....604 Cathedral St.  
 WHITRIDGE, MRS. WM. H. (1911).....604 Cathedral St.  
 WIGHT, JOHN H. (1914).....1415 Fidelity Bldg.  
 WILKINSON, A. L., M. D. (1910).....Raspeburg, Balto. Co., Md.  
 WILL, ALLEN S. (1910).....2620 N. Calvert St.  
 WILLARD, DANIEL (1913).....B. & O. Building.  
 WILLIAMS, MISS ELIZABETH CHEW } "Woodcliffe," 39th St., and Univ.  
 (1916) ..... } Parkway.  
 WILLIAMS, FRED R. (1914).....213 Courtland St.  
 \*WILLIAMS, HENRY (1887).....605 Union Trust Bldg.  
 WILLIAMS, HENRY W. (1891).....1113 Fidelity Building.  
 WILLIAMS, N. WINSLOW (1896).....1113 Fidelity Building.  
 WILLIAMS, ROBERT H. (1916).....Gaither Estate Building.  
 WILLIAMS, STEVENSON A. (1914).....Belair, Md.  
 WILLIAMS, T. J. C. (1907).....Juvenile Court.  
 WILLIS, GEORGE R. (1902).....213 Courtland St.  
 WILSON, J. APPLETON (1893).....800 Law Building.  
 WILSON, MRS. WILLIAM T. (1898).....1129 St. Paul St.  
 WINCHESTER, MARSHALL (1902).....Fayette & St. Paul, S. W.  
 WINCHESTER, WILLIAMS (1880).....National Union Bank.  
 WISE, HENRY A. (1882).....11 W. Mulberry St.  
 WOODALL, CASPER G. (1909).....American Office.  
 WOODRUFF, CALDWELL, M. D. (1914)....Hyattsville, Md.  
 WOODS, HIRAM, M. D. (1911).....842 Park Ave.  
 WOODSIDE, JAMES S. (1913).....1012 St. Paul St.  
 WOOTTON, W. H. (1905).....10 South St.  
 WORTHINGTON, CLAUDE (1905).....110 Chamber of Commerce.  
 WROTH, LAWRENCE C. (1909).....215 E. Preston St.  
 WYATT, J. B. NOEL (1889).....1012 Keyser Building.  
 YOUNG, ANDREW J. JR. (1916).....342 Equitable Building.  
 YOUNG, LOUIS F. (1916).....216 N. Calvert St.